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## Public Hearing on Sewer Project

By Rod Denley

A large crowd is expected to turn out for the public hearing on the proposed \$7 million sewer project for the City of Grayling and the Township of Grayling.

The meeting will be held at 7:00 p.m., March 15, at the Joseph Stripe Auditorium, Crawford - AuSable High School.

The following excerpts are from a report prepared for that meeting and may be educational to our readers who want to do their homework prior to the public discussion. The basic history surrounding the project is the same for the residents of the city and the township.

The sewer proposal for this area was first prepared and presented in 1974. Following that federal legislation made the following steps necessary for financed wastewater treatment works: Preparation of facility planning study. (This has now been completed. It consists of two volumes. One for the township and the city and another for the city alone). The next step is preparation of construction drawings and specifications. The last step is the actual construction.

"Facilities proposed for both communities must be substantially compatible with the needs of the Plan of the Study Area throughout a 20 year

period commencing on the date when the proposed facilities are scheduled to commence operation, or approximately from 1980 through the year 2000."

"The purpose of this public hearing is to discuss the findings of the proposed Grayling Township Facility Planning Study. With input from this hearing, Grayling Township and City of Grayling officials will be better able to decide the ultimate course of action."

This article is now split so that readers from different areas can read about proposed areas and costs for their locations.

## City of Grayling Project

The existing City of Grayling wastewater collection and treatment system has been extended and improved many times in recent years. Volume II of the draft Facility Plan proposes additional improvements required to make the City of Grayling facilities substantially adequate for service through the year 2000.

Proposed television inspection and grouting of collection sewers is proposed to eliminate up to 90% of all extraneous surface and ground water presently entering the system by means of inflow and infiltration. The possibility of overflows to the AuSable River must also be eliminated. The capacity of the City's master pumping station and wastewater treatment system needs to be increased, and additional expansion of the treatment facilities is required to achieve a higher degree of treatment.

Based on a preliminary ranking of alternatives given in [See City of Grayling on page 2]

## Description for Grayling Twp.

Areas to be served by proposed wastewater facilities include the privately owned shoreline of Lake Margrethe, the commercial district and developed subdivisions on either side of M-72 due west of the City of Grayling, the commercial district along the I-75 Business Loop directly opposite the Crawford County - Grayling Airport, the developed subdivisions along either side of Roberts Road due north of the City of Grayling, portions of Grayling Mobile Estates and the Brink's Park Subdivision. Wastewater collected from proposed Grayling Township service areas would be transported to a single wastewater treatment and land application site to be located either in Section 2, T26N, R3W or Section 32, T27N, R3W.

Current EPA and DNR regulations provide for 75% Federal Grant and 5% State Grant funding to offset local costs for constructing municipal wastewater facilities. All facilities proposed for Grayling Township are grant eligible. [See Grayling Township on page 2]

## Youth Services Prepares For County-Wide Environmental Program

Last year we were involved in an Environmental Clean-up Program in Crawford County. As Youth Services Director I worked with eight high school age youths in picking trash out of the AuSable River and from its banks. In a six week period we cleaned 80 fifty-five gallon bags of garbage from the river. This amounted to a fifty-five gallon bag every 15 minutes of floating time. It is evident from the amount of trash on the local waterways that this type of program should be continued.

Besides approaching the problem in this manner we also ran a petition drive in September securing in excess of 700 registered signatures supporting the raising of fines for littering to \$500, allowing the guilty party the option of cleaning one mile of the river and/or paying the fine, depending on the nature of the violation. The local prosecutor's office is presently in possession of these petitions and will present them to the County Board of Commissioners within 30 days.

This year the program has been expanded to 12 weeks and will include the Manistee River, Lake Margrethe shoreline and the county roads, as well as the AuSable River. An objective outline proposal dealing with the implementation of a coordinated environmental program for the summer is forthcoming in a future edition of the Avalanche.

All our funds are raised locally for this program. It is our sincere belief that the northern Michigan environment, our [See County-Wide on page 6]

## Bear Leaving?

By Rod Denley

Robert Kelly, Vice President of Bear Archery has given strong indications that the local industry will be definitely leaving here; driven out by the poor Michigan business climate.

During the same interview on Tuesday, he said published newspaper accounts from Florida were inaccurate and said the word on the exact future of the company would be out by June if not sooner.

Kelly was questioned about two articles that have appeared in Florida newspapers this month. The Star Banner, a daily newspaper from Ocala, Florida, March 1st edition says in its headline, "Archery Museum Plant would mean 300 jobs."

The article states, "The council agreed with representatives of the Committee of 100 that it should attempt to negotiate with the Bear Archery Co. for the sale or lease of about 40 acres of city-owned land..."

The paper quotes a representative of the committee of 100 as saying the firm has narrowed its choices to four Florida cities including Lake City, Tallahassee and Pensacola as well as Ocala. Kelly says the local company has looked at over ten towns and says it has not yet narrowed its choice down. He also indicated the other sections of the article were not entirely true.

Kelly says the decision to move is not definite yet. He did say however, "It is quite

likely that we will be moving." He said he did not know this for sure yet, nor did he know where or when it could take place.

"You just don't make up your mind in a few minutes on a move that could affect you for 50 years," he said.

The article also states that the company wants to build a 120,000 square foot manufacturing plant, a 25,000 square foot museum and is [See Bear on page 6]

## Blood Pressure Clinic March 16th

The Health Department of Crawford County has begun a series of Blood Pressure Clinics at the Grayling Office in the County Building. The first clinic was well received by over 50 persons.

High blood pressure is also called hypertension. Most people with high blood pressure have no symptoms at all. There are no specific warning signs, although persistent headaches, fatigue, dizziness, tension and shortness of breath sometimes go with high blood pressure. They are also common in many people and may result from a variety of causes.

The only way to find out whether you have high blood pressure is to have your blood pressure checked. You must go to your doctor or the nearest Health Department and ask to have your blood pressure checked.

The next clinic for high blood pressure screening will be Wednesday, March 16th, from 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

## Bear Featured In "Believe It or Not"

Fred Bear, President of Bear Archery and legendary bowhunter and conservationist was featured this past weekend in "Ripley's Believe It or Not" entertainment feature.

Mr. Bear was shown with the elephant he downed in Africa and the explanation read, "Fred Bear of Grayling, Michigan, has bagged 125 Big-Game Animals — including elephants, a white bear and a lion — with Bow and Arrow."

King Features distributes this weekly comic section piece throughout the world.

## Easter Seals Campaign

It's that time of the year again! We have from Ash Wednesday to Easter for our local Easter Seal Campaign.

Volunteers are at Mac's Drug Store, Glen's Market and the Grayling State Bank selling the Lilly Corages. Also look for the canisters in local merchant stores in our county.

Proceeds go to buy Loan Closet Equipment and Braces to loan free of charge to residents of Crawford County.

If you wish to borrow any equipment or are in need of help call 348-9314. The reason the Easter Seal Committee works so hard is because we try to meet the needs of the people of Crawford County.

Call on us at 348-9314 and don't forget to buy a Lilly Corage.

Connie Vaughn  
Publicity

## Carnival

The Sixth Grade will sponsor a Carnival on Thursday, March 17, at the Frederick School Gym, from 6:30 to 8:00 p.m. Proceeds will go toward their camping trip.

There will be games and balloons with prizes for everyone. Admission is just .25c



**NEW SHERIFF PATROL CARS**—Deputy Jim Kucharek (left) and Deputy Don Hemming are ready to leave on another police patrol in the two new cars recently purchased by the Crawford County Sheriff's Department. The cars come equipped with police and citizens band radios, sirens, 2 spotlights, flashing top lights, 12-gauge riot guns, heavy duty shocks, suspension and cooling system and prisoner cages. They are powered by stock, 400 cubic inch engines. (Rod Denley Photo)

## Six Participate in Winter Special Olympics



**MEDAL WINNERS**—Robert Ball, No. 50, and David Lamotte, No. 79, were medal winners at the Winter Special Olympics held Feb. 23-25. Both are from the Grayling Middle School.

## County Receives Grant

Fred Kauffman, Chairman of the Board of Commissioners, announced Monday, March 7th, that notification was received from the Department of Housing and Urban Development that a Community Development Block Grant preapplication has been approved for Crawford County in the amount of \$380,000.00.

Over 90 preapplications had been received by H.U.D. 26 non-metropolitan projects were approved for funding in Michigan, the maximum amount of funding at \$380,000.00. 8 of the 26 received the maximum funding.

This grant is to be used for home rehabilitation in specified areas of the City of Grayling, bounded on the North by Michigan Avenue, on the Southwest by Business Loop I-75, and on the Southeast by State Street.

In Grayling Township, the area along both sides of M-72 East between Thendara Road and Stephan Bridge Road.

In Frederic, the area bounded on the North by G12 including both sides of M-27. These areas are the target areas for the first program year, however as loans are repaid into the fund, other parts of the County will be considered.

The Grant preapplication and housing assistance program was developed through the efforts of Robert Peters, Director of the Northeast Michigan Community Service Agency, John Swise, deputy director and Jan Cornell, Community Development Coordinator. This agency will also be developing the full application for Crawford County which will be submitted before Summer, 1977.

## American Legion Anniversary Party Planned March 19th

A gala birthday celebration is being planned by Grayling Post #106 of the American Legion in Grayling as part of the Legion's worldwide observance of its 58th Anniversary in March. Post Commander Larkin Baker has announced.

Under the direction of a special committee, headed by 2nd Vice Commander Al Kesteloot, The 58th Birthday of the American Legion here will be observed with a dinner and dance commencing at 7:30 p.m., Saturday, March 19th, at the American Legion Hall. Music for dancing will be provided by the popular Tina Kennedy Duo from 8 p.m. until 1 a.m.

The festivities of Post #106 will be part of a gigantic anniversary celebration among the nearly 16,000 American Legion Posts throughout the United States and in several overseas countries and territories.

The American Legion was [See Legion on page 14]

## Our Weather

[Courtesy of Chuck Fick]

March	Hi	Lo	Snow
1	26	2	21
2	25	18	20
3	41	23	20
4	35	24	20
5	34	30	19
6	32	28	18
7	33	23	18

## TAX SALE LIST IN THIS ISSUE

This edition of the Avalanche contains the Michigan State Treasurer's petition to the Circuit Court in Grayling asking for authority to sell at public sale various parcels of land in Crawford County that are alleged to be delinquent for taxes in 1974 and prior years.

The petition includes a listing and description of such real estate parcels. The petition also asks the court for a decree designating the first Tuesday in May at 10 a.m. as the time of the sale of such properties delinquent for 1974 taxes.

Also the petition instructs persons who desire to contest liens for taxes, interest and charges to file their objections with the clerk of the court on or before the first day of the court's April term.

The tax list will appear in this and the next two issues of the Avalanche.

## New Veterans Field Officer

[By Rod Denley]



A former paramedic and Navy veteran has come to Grayling to take over the local office for Disabled American Veterans.

David R. Van Hill is the new field service officer for a huge area of northern lower Michigan. His working territory runs from Alma north to Sault Ste. Marie and from Petoskey east to Alpena.

His duties include filing compensation claims for veterans injured in the service, arranging school grants for education of veterans, providing burial benefits to widows of veterans, and providing pensions to widows of disabled veterans.

He moved to Grayling with [See Veterans on page 14]

## Fashion Show and Luncheon

The Annual Spring Fashion Show and Luncheon will be sponsored by the St. Mary's Catholic Church Alter Society at 11:30 a.m., Saturday, April 2, at the Chief Shoppenagon's Motor Hotel, Downtown Grayling, according to Wanda Zielinski, Publicity Chairman for the event.

The program will feature fashions from all local merchants, with the emphasis on women's and children's wear for the upcoming season. A luncheon will be part of the event.

Tickets are being sold in advance (only) at the Grayling Big Boy Restaurant, 2222 South I-75 Business Loop, and at the Scrib Board Laundromat, on Charles Street, across from the Fire Station. The cost is \$4.00 per ticket, with the proceeds going to the St. Mary's Church Building Fund for the construction of a new Hall.

## WARNING

Inactive Duty Training will be conducted by units of the Army and Air National Guard during the period 9 thru 12 and 15 thru 20 Mar 77.

The Air to Ground Range - located on the Artillery Range, which is north of County Road 612 and east of Guthrie Lake, will be utilized during this period.

This range will be closed during the above dates and all persons are warned to stay out of this area.

## Train Collides With Truck, Plus Derails



Locomotive Number 466 of the Detroit and Mackinaw Railway Co. limped into Grayling Monday night after colliding head on with a brine tanker, followed by a derailment shortly after.

The train was making its first trip north to deliver a load of material to the U.S. Plywood Company in Gaylord. There were no injuries in either incident.

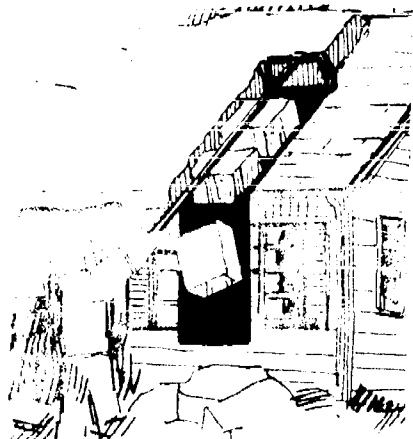
"That sure is an unlucky unit," said W. M. VanMetor, general manager of the railway from Tawas City, as he looked in disgust at the unit sitting half off the tracks at the railway crossing at Old Millikin Road.

"A normal trip from Bay City to Gaylord and back usually only takes about 12

[See Details on page 14]



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## Stenger Resigns Kirtland Post

By Rod Denley

Kirtland Community College President, Robert A. Stenger has announced his resignation, effective immediately, as head of the two-year institution.

The college board of trustees accepted his resignation at a special meeting held Friday night, but have declined to comment on the reasons for his actions.

Stenger had been relieved of his duties in January when the board offered him "professional leave of absence", which included full pay and benefits.

Since his resignation however, most of those privileges are no longer his. "I hereby submit my resignation as President of Kirtland College, effective March 4, 1977, with the express understanding that it is a complete release by me of the college from any and all benefits or claims arising under the contract or by virtue of my employment by the college," reads his resignation.

In accepting his resignation the board said in their statement, that subsequent to January 3, (the date Stenger was asked to go on leave), "... negotiations have taken place between the Board of Trustees and Robert A. Stenger through their respective attorneys..." As a result of these negotiations, and following Stenger's resignation which the board accepted, the former president was allowed \$7,000

severance pay. If he had remained in his position until the end of the time allotted in his contract he would have been president until April of 1978. His salary during that period would have been \$20,600 per year.

Stenger has also been allowed to use the president's residence until June 17, but he must pay all utilities. He also will be covered by the college insurance program until April.

Board Chairman Robert Bovee declined to elaborate further on the reasons Stenger has resigned, and said it was his decision. Bovee said the board has done nothing towards replacing the former president, since it only received his resignation at the special meeting. He said the board will have to establish their criteria for the job and then begin advertising for a new president. This process could be a lengthy one since over 300 applications are expected to arrive, said one board member.

Bovee said in the meantime the board will go ahead as best it can with the staff on hand.

### Mercy Hospital Auxiliary

The Mercy Hospital Auxiliary meeting will be held Thursday, March 10th, at 1:00 p.m. at the North Wing. We are expecting a good attendance. See you there.

Publicity Chairman,  
Wanda Zielinski

### Cancer Society Board Meets

A meeting of the Board of Directors of the Crawford County Unit of the American Cancer Society was held February 22, at the Grayling State Bank.

The 1977 Crusade will begin with the annual Kick-off Luncheon, which will be held on May 2nd at Noon at Chief Shoppenagon's Hotel. The goal for this year is \$6,300.00.

The "Reach for Recovery" Program for Mastectomy patients is in full operation with Mary Noa and Marion Welch as volunteers.

### Read-A-Thon For MS Ends

GRAYLING — The first annual Northern Michigan Read-A-Thon sponsored by the area chapter of the Multiple Sclerosis Society ended Friday, March 4 according to an announcement here by Robert F. Kelly, Chairman of the fund-raising event.

Area youngsters have until March 15 to collect pledges from their sponsors who agreed to donate money for each book the student read during the month-long Read-A-Thon. All young people turning in their list of books read and pledges are then eligible for a giant prize drawing to be held in Grayling on March 31.

In addition to the long list of prizes announced last week, officials have announced that several prizes have been added to the list from the Detroit Tigers Baseball Team and the Detroit Pistons Basketball Team.

### Ski Race

(Continued from page 1)

The 50-mile cross-country race was a successful event and has sparked the interest of the Lansing officials.

The meeting has evolved since last year when local race official Gus Konopnicki began writing letters to find out if funds were available for such events.

He was informed by 11th District Congressman Philip E. Ruppe that a great deal of federal funding went into Wisconsin's new ski touring-hiking trail. This included a \$50,000 grant from the U.S. Bureau of Outdoor Recreation, a \$30,000 grant from the Upper Great Lakes Regional Commission and the remainder of the \$100,000 project cost borne by the county involved.

The meeting to be held is the first one toward working for such a possible grant if enough local interest arises. Officials expected to attend include Alex Laggis, Office of Economic Expansion, Michigan Department of Commerce and Victor Horvath, Local Grants Coordinator for the Michigan Natural Resources. Both of these men are from Lansing, said the meeting organizers, who expect many officials as well.

### Bids Wanted

The CETA Office will be accepting bids for the purchase of one (1) electric typewriter, minimum of 12 inch carriage, with pica type. Bids to be in by March 17, 1977. CETA Office, Court House, Grayling, Michigan.

### Rotary Club Continues Good Works



The Grayling Rotary Club has been busy this past month continuing its support of worthy projects throughout the community. In addition to the recent, very successful Fish Fry, the Rotary has made substantial contributions to two very worthy causes.

Shown at left above, Rotary President Pat Nunn is receiving a certificate of appreciation from Les Stanley (L), who was the local coordinator of the recent "Weigh-In" program to raise money for the Special Olympics. These Olympic Games are held annually for handicapped youngsters, and are a national project of the Joseph P. Kennedy Foundation. The project is headed by Mrs. Eunice Kennedy Shriver. Rotarians "weighed-in" at a total of 4,250 pounds.

In the bottom photo at right, Lora Gould is shown with John Sojka, owner of the Total Gas station. Mr. Sojka, who is a local Rotarian, has donated gasoline for the meals on wheels program at his cost, and the local Rotary Club will pick up the bill. The "Meals on Wheels" program is designed to deliver hot, nutritious meals to people who may be ill or shut in.

The Rotary Club is happy to be able to lend a helping hand to any worthwhile civic or charitable cause, and would like to thank the community for its continuing support of Rotary money-making ventures.

## City of Grayling

Volume II of the draft Facility Plan, the most cost effective alternative for the City of Grayling is Plan C. A breakdown of cost estimates for Plan C is given as follows:

Eligible Costs	\$535,700
Ineligible Costs	0
75% Federal Grant	401,775
5% State Grant	26,785
City of Grayling Local Share	107,140
Industrial Local Share	0
Total Estimated Capital Costs	\$535,700
Estimated Annual O & M Costs	\$22,960/Year

The proposed method of financing the City of Grayling Local Share is by the sale of Revenue Bonds over a 20 year period at an estimated 7% interest rate. If Plan C is implemented under this method, the total monthly service charge in a typical residential customer within the City of Grayling would increase from the present \$2.07/month to an estimated \$3.76/month.

## Grayling Township

except for certain lengths of 8" gravity collection sewer and all proposed 8" house laterals extending to the property lines of lots to be served.

Based on a preliminary ranking of alternatives given in Volume I of the draft Facility Plan, the most cost effective plan for Grayling Township is Alternative C. A breakdown of cost estimates for Alternative C is given as follows:

Eligible Costs	\$5,515,419
Ineligible Costs	1,286,779
75% Federal Grant	4,136,564
5% State Grant	275,771
Grayling Township Local Share	2,389,863
Industrial Local Share	0
Total Estimated Capital Costs	\$6,802,198
Estimated Annual O & M Costs	\$96,250/Year

The proposed method of financing the Grayling Township Local Share is by the sale of bonds over a 30-year period under Act No. 185 of the Public Acts of 1957, as amended, also known as the County Public Works Act.

The proposed means of meeting the bond payments and financing the annual operation and maintenance of the system is by the combination of a special assessment imposed on a foot frontage basis and an annual customer service charge. Under this method, the typical residential customer in Grayling Township would pay an estimated \$24.83/month over the first 15 years when the special assessment is in effect, \$12.17/month for the following 15 years until the bond issue is retired, and \$8.17/month for operation and maintenance of the system thereafter. These charges are based on an average capital cost per customer of \$1,810.

## Public Notice

The Grayling City Council will hold a public hearing in the Council Chambers of City Hall at 8:00 P.M., on Monday, March 28, 1977, regarding the possible rezoning of property described as:

Being a part of the W 1/2 of the NE 1/4 of the SE 1/4 of Section 18, T26N R3W, City of Grayling, Crawford County, Michigan, commencing at the E 1/4-corner of said Section 18; thence S89°21'W along the E&W 1/4 line, 1316.65 feet; thence S2°02'W along the 1/8 line, 326.63 feet to the point of beginning; thence N89°25'E, 658.12 feet; thence S2°03'50"W, 817.21 feet; thence S89°37'W, 657.7 feet; thence N2°02'E, 814.87 feet to the point of beginning and contains 12.31 acres of land.

from present R-2 zoning to C-2 (commercial) zoning in order to allow use of the property in conjunction with an adjacent business.

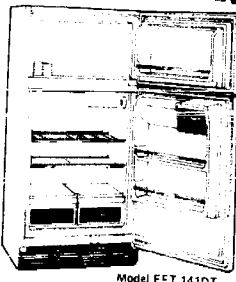
All interested persons are invited to attend this hearing and to express their views regarding same.

Jerry W. Morford,  
City Manager/Clerk

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## Whirlpool

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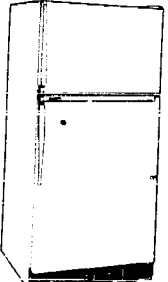
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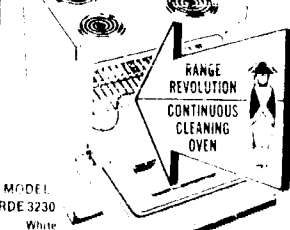
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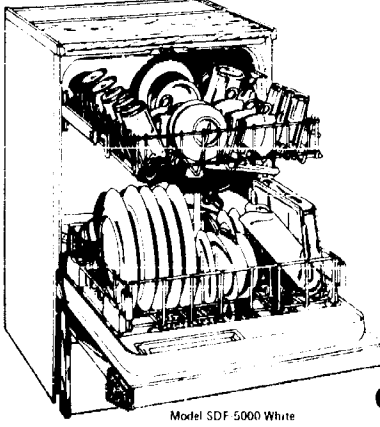
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## From Our Corner...

You readers are going to get a reprieve this week ... Our Corner is going to be real short and sweet — we haven't been able to come up with anything to really extol on, that we felt needed our attention.

Possibly next week ... We did encounter a couple rumbles following last week's corner, but then, nothing for us to get shook up about ... although enough to keep our eyes and ears open ... and take the old stand, wait and see.

We did mention last week about being a senior citizen, and our rules on the Editor's Mailbox.

First off, I guess we hadn't checked the calendar recently, and following a phone call a couple of weeks ago from a gentleman on whether we would use a column in the Avalanche pertaining to the local chapter of the American Association of Retired Persons, our answer was affirmative, after learning that the caller was Christopher Bernard — who has written several articles pertaining to our schools. (There is one on page 8 this week).

Following a few courtesies we were asked by our caller our vintage. It took a few minutes for us to find our driver's license to find out our birth year, and immediately found out we qualified, and was invited to the AARP next meeting.

It was a pleasure to attend their monthly meeting last Monday, even if it was for just a little while.

We came face to face with Christopher Bernard for the first time ... we look forward to seeing more of him, and we're sure our readers will find his articles that appear in the Avalanche, interesting and refreshing.

We are going to join — and are sorry we can't be an active member in the Chapter ... we met new people, and saw friends of a few years and also those we met when we arrived here a number of years ago ...

... our problem, we're tired, but not quite able to retire. On second thought, it's just as well, I would possibly have to ask Chris if I could write something about the chapter, seeing as how he has seniority.

No way ... we're going to hang onto to being publisher, if nothing else, it is quite an ego trip, and now and then a sleepless night.

Guess we got a bit windy (that's what Kathie tells us) so we will take up the "Editor's Mailbox" segment another time.

In the meantime, for the couple of letters we have received signed, "name withheld by request," let us add that — we need the identity of the writer, and will determine its' worthiness for publication.

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Interesting Events In  
Grayling 23 Years AgoINTERESTING ITEMS OF NEWS GATHERED FROM  
THE FILES OF THE AVALANCHE OF 23 YEARS AGO23 YEARS AGO  
March 11, 1953

A daughter, Sally Ann, was born to Mr. and Mrs. William Barney of Grayling at Mercy Hospital on March 6th.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles DeMoines of Frederic announce the arrival of a son, Thomas Charles, at Mercy Hospital on March 7th.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Douglas and family spent Sunday with relatives in Lovells.

Mrs. A.D. Leng and Mrs. Ted Leng called on Mrs. Ted Leng's grandmother, Mrs. Stigleman of Otsego Lake on Sunday.

Paul Lovely, Jr., of Midland visited his mother, Mrs. Paul Lovely, a few days recently.

Mr. and Mrs. T.P. Peterson left Thursday on a vacation trip to Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Drefts, John Drefts and Mrs. Louis Mankowski of Gaylord, were recent guests at the home of their sister, Mrs. Stanley Rutkowski.

In honor of the anniversary of her husband, Mrs. Harold Hatfield Sr., entertained the sons and their wives at the family home, Wednesday night of last week. Mr. and Mrs. Gary Hatfield of Gaylord were here for the party.

Mrs. Jess Sales was hostess to the Danish Reading Circle at her home Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Clair Melroy Jr., were in Detroit the weekend of Feb. 27th attending the auto show. Mrs. Ole Wiium accompanied them as far as Pinconning and visited her daughter, Mrs. Erling King and family.

Mr. and Mrs. James Duley and daughter Mary Kay were recent weekend guests of Mrs. Duley's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bishaw.

Mrs. Ben DeLaMater, who is now spending the winter months in Saginaw with Mr. DeLaMater, spent a few days visiting at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Leland Marshall.

Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Burton and daughter Juliana drove to Detroit and back Thursday, going on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Douglas have purchased the Smiggen's house on Michigan Ave. and plan to move in the last of the month.

Derek McEvers, Bob Luter and Bill Kinkert, college students, spent the weekend at their respective homes this weekend.

Larry Ashton has been accepted in the U.S. Air Corp and will be stationed at Geneva, N.Y. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Ashton.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Trudgeon left from Traverse City by plane Monday to spend a couple of weeks vacationing in Las Vegas, Nevada.

Dr. and Mrs. C. G. Clippert left Saturday for Detroit, the former to attend a medical meeting and plan to continue on to Mt. Clemens to visit their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. James Brown.

Mrs. Willard Cornell and daughter, Barbara, and Mrs. Joseph Freeman spent Tuesday in Bay City.

46 YEARS AGO  
March 12, 1931

Ernest Larson was honored on his birthday, March 4th, when his mother, Mrs. Carl Larson, entertained a party of 22 young people.

Davey Lee, 16 month old son of Mr. and Mrs. David Montour passed away at their home this noon of bronchial pneumonia. Davey Lee was the only boy in a family of eight children and was dearly loved by his brothers and sisters.

Bobby Morris, son of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Morris is ill with pneumonia at Mercy Hospital. Tom Brown is ill at home also with pneumonia.

Oscar Smith is absent from the Schoonover Garage because of illness.

After behaving like a lamb since March was ushered in, Old Man Winter took charge, Saturday night. The storm started, then did not let up until Tuesday morning, and no doubt was Michigan's worst storm of the winter. It is estimated 18 inches of snow fell in Grayling.

County Clerk, Axel M. Peterson, cut his left hand while splitting kindling with a hatchet.

Mr. and Mrs. William Ireland of Lovells entertained the Lovells Children at their home at Shupac Lake Saturday.

The desire of the people of Eastern Michigan to have the Conservation Department retain the fish hatchery in Grayling is so general and the sentiment so much in favor, that there has been almost a stampede of protest against its abandonment.

Clayton McDonnell, who has been serving in the General Army at the Panama Canal zone for two years is home on furlough visiting his parents, the James McDonnells.

Mrs. Arnold Burrows was hostess to her "500" Club Thursday evening.

The afternoon bus and a state snow plow sideswiped each other while passing on the highway on the outskirts of Grayling, forcing the bus back to the Schoonover garage in Grayling for repairs.

69 YEARS AGO  
March 12, 1908

Wednesday evening, Feb. 26th, a pretty wedding was performed when Miss Carrie Barber and Charles Corwin were united in marriage at the home of the groom's sister, Mrs. George Biggs. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hoesli the latter a sister of the groom, were the attendants. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Barber.

A most enjoyable afternoon was spent at the T. E. Douglas home in Lovells, March 5th in honor of baby Edgar's birthday.

## Card of Thanks

I would like to thank everyone for their prayers, visits, cards and gifts while I was in the hospital. I would also like to thank the hospital staff at Grayling Mercy Hospital and at Saginaw St. Mary's, who were so good to me. I will never forget what everyone has done.

Janette Sloan

## The Bible Speaks

From Calvary Baptist Church

Churches Supporting  
Communism

We regret the need to interrupt our study of Revelation to inform you of another step by the National Council of Churches which will advance the cause of communism within our country. The meeting is scheduled for this week, March 7th through 11th at the Bergamo East Conference Center in Ulster, New York. Those present will include such leading world communists as Oliver Tambo, leader of the South African Communist Party's African National Congress, and the wife of Marxist-Leninist President Agostinho Neto of Angola.

Congressman Lawrence McDonald of Georgia states: "The National Council of Churches has invited representatives of Soviet-supported Marxist terrorist organizations and collaborating apologists for the new African Communist regimes in Angola and Mozambique to instruct U.S. activists. By its actions in support of Communist groups and regimes that routinely use terrorism to subjugate innocent people in Africa, the N.C.C. has again confirmed its support for totalitarianism. I am urging the Secretary of State to uphold our federal visa laws and exclude these Marxists, terrorists, and revolutionaries. We cannot effectively oppose terrorism in the Middle East, as I believe we should, and at the same time encourage terrorists and terrorism in southern Africa. To honor the Tambo and Netos of this world is to honor the murderers and rapists and butchers of innocent children and faithful clergy. To do so in the name of the Christian churches is sickening."

Many people who belong to churches or denominations which support the National and World Council of Churches may be surprised to know where their money is going. It is a shame to think that money given by many good people is being used to plan their own destruction. In October of 1974 we informed you that the World Council of Churches had increased their giving to communist and revolutionary groups to over \$1,000,000.

As Congressman McDonald stated: "To honor the murderers and rapists and butchers of innocent children and faithful

clergy ... in the name of the Christian churches is sickening." We can only add to that, it is more than sickening, it is sinful. God says, "It is required in stewards, that a man be found faithful." I Corinthians 4:2. Christians who support Satans program with God's money cannot hope to plead ignorance, but must someday answer before the Judgment Seat of Christ. II Cor. 5:10.

Pastor Barnett

Women's Assn.  
Plans Party

In celebration of the coming of spring, the Grayling Chapter of the American Business Women's Association will hold a "Bloomin' Garden Party" March 15th at The Grayling House, according to Mrs. Kathy Parkinson, Chapter President.

The Garden Party promises to be a festive, colorful event — a welcome harbinger of spring. The party will highlight the ABWA Spring Enrollment Event.

ABWA Enrollment Events are held semi-annually to introduce ABWA and the local chapter to business women in this area. Throughout this period special events will be held across the country by more than 1,400 other ABWA chapters.

"The goal of ABWA is to help women in business advance through education, increased competence, and through upgrading of professional skills and business attitudes," Mrs. Parkinson said.

The Association, founded in Kansas City, Missouri, in 1949, now has more than 88,000 members. Last year, ABWA chapters throughout the United States and Puerto Rico awarded nearly a million dollars in scholarships to women students. In addition, the ABWA national scholarship fund, SBMEF, awarded another \$185,000 in scholarships during the same period.

Membership is by invitation only. For further information, interested business women may contact Mrs. Karen Casler, membership chairman, at 348-8823.

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The proposed rate schedule and the current rate schedule are compared below:

## Present Rates Per 1000 Gal.

	Water	Sewer	Total
First 10,000 gals.	1.16	.86	2.02
Next 50,000 gals.	.57	.43	1.00
Next 140,000 gals.	.54	.41	.95
All over 200,000 gals.	.46	.34	.80

## Proposed Rates Per 1000 gals.

	Water	Sewer	Total
First 10,000 gals.	1.16	.86	2.02
Next 190,000 gals.	.57	.52	1.09
All over 200,000 gals.	.48	.45	.93

This rate increase will produce an overall increase in revenues of 6.5% [plus or minus] and is the minimum increase necessary to compensate for rate increases in electric power used to operate the water and sewer systems which rates have increased 125% over the past year.

The proposed rate increases will not increase the minimum bill and will therefore not affect those persons who have sewer only service or those who use less than 10,000 gallons per quarter.

All interested persons are invited to attend the scheduled hearing and to express their views regarding same.

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Old Typewriter, Adding Machine, Cash Register and Office Furniture.  
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**FOR SALE**—Electric organ 1976 Hammond T series, mint condition, original cost - \$3,000.00, asking \$2,000.00. Phone 348-5027. 10-17

**BINGO**  
American Legion Post 106  
106 James St.  
Grayling, Michigan  
Every Thursday 7-10 p.m.  
Proceeds to Building Fund. 4/24tf

**MEMBER ERA BROKER**

**Keith D. Dressel Realty**  
1-75 Bus. Loop, Grayling Phone 348-4111  
formerly "Ken Chappell Real Estate"

# Bargain Hunter's Paradise THE WANT ADS

**FOR SALE**—1973 V.W. Super Beetle. Very good condition, one owner, 46,000 miles, four new tires, also includes two snow tires on rims, extra heater fan, deluxe stereo FM radio and 8-track tape player, \$1900.00. Call 348-8586, 3/31f

**FOR SALE**—1975 Royal Monaco - 6 way power seat, tinted glass, A/C speed control, electric window and door locks, AM/FM radio, power disc brakes, rear window defogger, sun roof. Call 348-7530. 3-10

**HELP WANTED**—Job developer to work in job placement and on-job training activities for participants involved in Title I training programs of the Comprehensive Employment and Training Act (CETA) in Northeast Michigan. Projected starting salary is \$9500 per year, plus good fringe package. Send letter of application and resume by March 21, 1977 to Kurt B. Ries, Director, Northeast Michigan Manpower Consortium, P.O. Box "G", Onaway, Mich. 49765. Past applicants should re-affirm interest. An equal opportunity employer. 10-17

**VETERANS** — Part time positions available. Draftsmen, mechanics, carpenters, welders, electricians, grader operators and many more. Earn \$60.00 - \$120.00 per week. For details contact your Michigan National Guard recruiter at 517/348-7621, Ext. 250. Call collect. 10-17 24 31

**ANTIQUE** dishes and collectibles, bookcase bed, refrigerator, clothes, books, records, small appliances, miscellaneous rummage. Phone 348-8972. -10-

**H AND R HENSEL**  
TREE AND STUMP REMOVAL  
Around Homes,  
Lots and Lodges.  
Phone 348-5582 or  
275-5857 3/31f

**WANTED**—Caretaker or couple for private fishing club in the Manistee - AuSable area. Duties from April through October includes housekeeping, cooking and general maintenance work. Live-in situation. Send application and references to Box 51, Belmont, Mich. 49306. 17-24-310

**OUR WINTER SALE BOOK**  
**BIGGEST**  
**CATALOG**  
**SALE**  
**OF THE YEAR**  
**ENDS**  
**MARCH 15**  
**ONLY 5 DAYS**  
**LEFT**  
**SEARS: GRAYLING**  
**PHONE 348-6311**

**DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY - INTERNAL REVENUE SERVICE. NOTICE OF SEALED BID SALE.** Under authority contained in section 6331 of the Internal Revenue Code, the property described below has been seized for nonpayment of internal revenue taxes due from Tarpon Industries Inc., P.O. Box 176, M-72 East, Grayling, Michigan 49738. The property will be sold at public auction in accordance with the provision of sections 6335 of the Internal Revenue Code, and related regulations. Date Bids will be opened: April 6, 1977. Time Bids will be opened: 1:00 P.M. Place of Sale: Room C-122, Crawford County Building, Michigan Avenue, Grayling, Michigan. Title Offered: Only the right, title, and interest of Tarpon Industries Inc. in and to the property will be offered for sale. If requested, the Internal Revenue Service will furnish information about possible encumbrances, that may be useful in determining the value of the interest being sold. Description of Property: 1973 Ford Station Wagon, Vehicle Identification No. 3W-76A150125. Property may be inspected at 117 Jeannette Street, Grayling, Michigan. Submission of Bids: All bids must be submitted on Form 2222, Sealed Bid for Purchase of Seized Property. Contact the office indicated below for Forms 2222 and information about the property. Submit bids to the person named below before the date bids will be opened. Payment Terms: Bids must be accompanied by the full amount of the bid if it totals \$200 or less. If the total bid is more than \$200, submit 20 percent of the amount bid of \$200, whichever is greater. On acceptance of the highest bid, the balance due, if any, will be required in full. Form of Payment: All payments must be by cash, certified check, cashier's or treasurer's check or by a United States postal bank, express, or telegraph money order. Make check or money order payable to the Internal Revenue Service, James R. Carlson, Revenue Officer, P.O. Box 248, Alpena, Michigan 49707. Phone (517) 356-1991. Dated March 4, 1977. -10-

**FOR SALE**—One Johnson chain saw, Model 52, 10 month old, \$140.00. Call 348-7129 after 6 p.m. 10-17

**FOR SALE**—Lazy Boy Rocker-Recliner. Herculean, Avocado Green material, has high back and is in good condition. \$75.00. Phone 348-5147 anytime. -10-

**WANTED**—Antiques, Wood ice boxes, Decoys, Furniture, Glass, anything old. We buy estates. Henry Denlinger, Houghton Lake, Mich. 48629. Phone 517-422-5396. 16/16

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**MARCH 15**  
**PHONE: 348-6311**  
**SEARS CATALOG SALES OFFICE**  
**GRAYLING**

**CUTE BLACK & SILVER** Sheppies, 6 weeks old. Free to good home, good temperament. Phone 348-5203. 3-10

**FOR RENT**—2 bedroom house trailer, furnished. \$135.00 per month, small deposit, no pets. Call 348-4131. 3/31f

**BINGO**  
**GRAYLING BOOSTER CLUB**  
2121 SOUTH MILLIKIN ROAD  
Grayling, Michigan  
EVERY TUESDAY EVENING  
7:00 P.M.

**BOAT SHOW**—See our big indoor selection of outboards, 170's, Jets, Cruisers, Pontons, Deck Boats and more. Prize drawings, free refreshments, special show prices. March 12 thru 20. Spicer's Boat City, M-55, Houghton Lake. 3-10

**CONGRATULATIONS**  
**MOM ON YOUR 693** 10

**WANTED**—Interested Beaver Creek resident in bidding for job of sexton, maintenance and handyman. Please appear at March 14, 1977 meeting. A job description is available from the Supervisor, Clerk or Treasurer's office. 3-10

**APARTMENT FOR RENT**—Two bedroom efficiency, utilities paid, furnished, including color T.V. Living conditions furnished as desired, phone answering service, 24 hour laundromat. No deposit and children welcome. Phone 348-4641 for the best price in town. 3-10

**FOR RENT**—2 bedroom apartment, 1 mile North of Grayling on Old 27. Phone 348-8349. -10-

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**Calendar of Events**  
March 10: Thursday, Senior Citizen Dinner in Frederic, Frederic School cafeteria, 6 p.m., \$1.25 per person, call Ausagra Acres, 348-9314 for reservations.  
March 12: Wild Game Dinner, 6:00 p.m., AuSable Hotel, Frederic. Benefit for Larry Love Children Trust Fund. Sponsored by the Frederic Hobby Club. Donation.  
March 17th: Thursday at 8 p.m. there will be a Frederic Township Community Association Meeting at the Town Hall. Special meeting.  
Quick Tip  
Sprinkle cooked brussels sprouts (after draining) with a dash of dill weed.

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## County-Wide

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community and its youth will greatly benefit from the continuation of this project.

If you are concerned about maintaining the quality of our local environment through the efforts of youth, you may contact Youth Services for additional information.

Your concern and support is necessary to make this another successful clean-up program.

Robert Smock, Youth Services, Phone 348-7702

### In Memorium

In loving memory of our dear mother and grandmother, Eva LaMotte, who passed away five years ago on March 8, 1972.

You meant so very much to us, far more than words can say - an ache abides within our hearts that years won't take away. Your memory to us is a keepsake, with which we will never part, though God has you in his keeping, we still have you in our hearts.

Sadly missed by your five daughters and their families.

### Olympics

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medals. The COOR District captured first place in the state in the snow sculpturing event.

Stanley said that the winter olympics were "out of this world" and called them "terrific" in spite of the weather. The bus leaving the COOR area for the olympics got a late start February 23 because of icy roads. He said that many volunteers helped with the olympics and added that he thought it all very worthwhile.

### Three Attend Workshop Here

Three Crawford County area public school representatives were among 70 persons attending an Automobile Club of Michigan - sponsored Regional Student Transportation Supervisor Workshop Wednesday, March 2.

Scheduled to attend the workshop at Grayling's Holiday Inn were: Crawford AuSable Schools Supt. Fraser Dean, Business Manager Paul Lerg and Transportation Supervisor LeRoy Akers.

The superintendents and the transportation supervisors previewed new materials and techniques in bus safety training developed by the National AAA Foundation for Traffic Safety.

### Bear Lake Township Board of Review

The Bear Lake Township Board of Review meeting will take place Monday and Tuesday, March 14th and 15th, 1977 at the Bear Lake Community Center on M-72. The meeting will be held from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 Noon, then from 1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.

William Geake, Supervisor

## Bear

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also interested in building an indoor archery range.

Representatives of the company were in Ocala last week, it was reported, and were interested in leasing or buying the city property just west of the Six-gun territory, said the article. Kelly denies this and said the company, "... was not negotiating for land anywhere."

Kelly says if a move should come about, it may even be to a state other than Florida, but added, "Florida has been very aggressive." He says the state has extended the invitation to Bear and worked very hard at enticing the local industry to the south, and added that the company is looking very closely at Florida.

The Ocala article states if the company moved there, about 300 jobs would be created and about 90% of them filled by persons from that community.

Kelly confirmed those estimates would be roughly accurate ones if the industry should move. He said that many families with roots here would be reluctant to move, and said his studies indicate that usually about 8% of the people move with an industry.

Bear Archery has about 335 employees presently. This includes 170 hourly production workers, 30 hourly non-production workers, 23 salesmen and the balance in the office and administrative departments.

He said the company might move 30-40 families (possibly less) of the salaried administrative employees. All other employees would have to pay their own expenses to follow the company if it moved.

He was questioned about the large number of transport trailers sitting in the company yard. He confirmed it was a larger number than usual but said the reason was that there was a lack of suitable warehouses for local storage. He said next month was a peak shipping period and that Bear had let its local warehouses go this year and that other companies were using them. The ones that were available were not in decent shape for insurance coverage, and thus could not be used for storage.

Kelly confirmed that if the company did move, it would be taking the museum as well as the factory. "That would be our intention," he said.

An article in the Orlando State Journal states, "Labor problems have plagued the company's Grayling, Mich., plant for the past nine

months and company officials are looking for an area with fewer labor problems, plus a site closer to the bow hunting centers of Georgia and Florida."

Kelly says this is a great misconception, since the main industry of the company is making bows and arrows.

Officials in Ocala, however, were told according to the article from there, that "More than 100,000 people visited the company's museum at its headquarters in the small Michigan community last year." It says, "The firm would also conduct tours through its manufacturing plant."

Kelly said he did not think the State of Michigan could change the state business climate into a beneficial one for any company. He says the downward trend has gone too far to be rectified in short order.

He stressed that the company has not looked for or asked for any tax relief from the state, county or city. He said they do not expect any and have not been approached by the state about leaving.

He said the state would have to improve the areas of taxes, workman's compensation and unemployment insurance. He said that the working people as well in the state have to change their outlook and expectations as well.

"The working people will have to have a more realistic view of business competition," he said, and added they cannot expect every business to pay what the large auto-makers have been paying employees. The car makers can pass all increased costs onto the consumers but the archery business cannot.

He said the company has lost some of its share of the market in the past few years and although still growing and healthy, has to stay competitive. He said foreign markets from Japan are getting stronger in the archery market.

Kelly was questioned about a possible savings in gas and electricity if the company moved south. He said what was gained in heat bills was lost in air-conditioning. He then stated that taxes, unemployment insurance and workman's compensation would also be about the same in Florida as here. Asked what the point was in moving, Kelly changed his statements to say that state taxes would be less and there would be no income tax. Kelly did admit there would be substantial labor savings in moving south.

Gary Swanson, president of Local 1903, United Auto Workers of America, who have been on strike against the company for almost a year, was asked to comment on the Florida paper reports. He declined to comment until he had a chance to speak with legal counsel and labor representatives for the union.

Grayling City Mayor Derek McEvers said he was disappointed and sorry to hear the firm has gone so far already in relocation planning. He said the city is powerless to change state laws.

The Ocala report says the council there was presented with a resolution which officially invited the firm to locate in that community. The resolution noted that if such an event came to pass, that the community could then become, "The Archery Capitol of the World."

### Frederic Brownie Troop 141

February 1st, at the weekly meeting, a sunshine box was made for Janette Sloan.

On February 14th, the Brownies delivered Valentines they had made the week before to the patients at the Skilled Care Unit of Mercy Hospital. Afterwards all went to McDonald's for a coke.

On February 21st, Troop 141 went to Prudenville for roller skating together with the Brownie Troops from Grayling. A good time was had.

On February 22nd, the Brownies received their Scout pins at a ceremony at the Township Hall. Their families were invited and were served coffee, cake and kool-aid afterwards.

JoAnn Fairbrother, Leader

## "Two Cents Worth"

By Rod Denley

Last week I picked up some groceries at a local food store and pushed my cart into the checkout line to pay for them.

While I was standing there, a customer ahead of me verbally stomped all over a cashier for making a mistake in adding up her order. The mistake was, as I saw it, more the fault of the cashier than the clerk, but it was the poor girl at the cash register that had to take all the abuse.

As I was paying for my groceries, I told her I thought she had been treated unfairly and she said, "I wish someone would do a newspaper article about people having some common courtesy toward store personnel."

She didn't know who I was but she had asked the right person, because here it is. I have never been a store clerk or cashier but I would like to say that it seems like the people at the cash register are hard working individuals.

Like any store customer, I have been frustrated many times in the search for help on a store floor. Some clerks make a special effort to be gone when you need them most. You look in vain for a clerk and even though there may be dozens on the payroll, they have all conveniently disappeared, usually leaving one poor soul to take care of miles of aisles and half a dozen different departments. You have all I'm sure, tried to buy rifle shells from the lady in lingerie who hasn't got a clue what is happening in the hardware department. She is covering for the man from that section while he is out for coffee or in the "stockroom". That room is where the stuff is stored that isn't on the shelf. It never seems to be in the stockroom when it isn't on the shelf, although clerks spend hours in there sorting out what really isn't there.

That is a different story however, from the clerks who are sincerely doing their job and trying to help. It is extremely poor taste to walk over these people when they are doing their best.

We have all heard the saying "The customer is always right." Nowhere does it say this gives customers permission to be ignorant or uncivil. Complaints on service should be taken to a manager for discussion.

The real question comes down to how would you like to be treated if you were a store cashier or clerk. Would you take the abuse some people think they can just hand out to a store employee because they happen to be having a bad day? Probably you wouldn't.

Next time you are standing in line, think about the girl who has to stand there all day long and handle customer after customer. Many of us don't even have to spend that much time on our feet, let alone handle customer complaints as well. They are human beings like the rest of us and deserve to be treated that way.

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## NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING GRAYLING TOWNSHIP & THE CITY OF GRAYLING FACILITY PLANNING STUDY

(C262814)

Notice is hereby given that the Township of Grayling will hold a public hearing on the proposed Grayling Township and City of Grayling Facility Planning Study for the purpose of receiving comments and views of interested persons. The hearing will be held at 7:00 P.M. E.S.T. on March 15, 1977 at the Joseph Stripe Auditorium, Crawford AuSable High School, Old U.S. 27 North, Grayling, Michigan.

The Grayling Township and City of Grayling Facility Planning Study proposes construction of new municipal wastewater collection and treatment facilities to serve the densely developed areas of Grayling Township adjacent to the City of Grayling and Lake Margrethe for a total estimated project cost of \$6,802,198. Substantial repairs to the existing City of Grayling wastewater collection system and expansion of facilities at the City's wastewater treatment site are also proposed for a total estimated project cost of \$535,700.

A regional alternative wherein the same projects mentioned above would be undertaken, except that the existing City of Grayling wastewater treatment site would be abandoned in favor of a regional site serving both communities, is also under consideration for a total estimated project cost of \$7,908,021.

A detailed breakdown of estimated total costs, local costs, and monthly costs to a typical residential customer will be presented at the public hearing for each proposed alternative.

The environmental impact of proposed alternatives, including the "no-action" alternative, will be discussed. The selection of an alternative will have a vital bearing on the future pattern of development in Grayling Township. Public participation is requested so that Grayling Township and City of Grayling officials will be better able to decide the ultimate course of action.

Copies of the proposed Grayling Township Facility Planning Study are available for public inspection at the Grayling Township and City of Grayling offices, 103 James Street, Grayling, Michigan. A synopsis summarizing the contents of the study is also available.

Written comments sent to either Grayling Township or the City of Grayling, 103 James Street, Grayling, Michigan, will be entered into the public record through March 25, 1977.

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Bernard J. Fowler, Supervisor

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Richard Millman

Try this one on for size:

How about negotiating a public employee labor contract with the bargaining sessions open to the public?

The Michigan Association of School Boards officially thinks that would be a good idea. At least, it thinks that's what it thinks.

At a recent delegate meeting, the school board folks voted 153-152 to support the idea of fish-bowl bargaining before the Michigan Legislature.

In fact, of course, most members of the public would not bother with looking into the teacher contract bargaining fish bowl; but it would be open if the public wanted to watch, and that ubiquitous representative of the citizen — the press — would usually keep a wary eye on what's going on.

At least, that's what's happened in Florida, where the state's "Sunshine Law" requiring open meetings extends to teacher bargaining sessions.

There's another side, of course. According to some opponents, open bargaining sessions would increase hostility among the bargainers, reduce flexibilities, box in the "give and take" theory, and encourage adversary sides to talk to the public (and the press) rather than to each other.

One backer of the idea is Michigan State Rep. William Keith of Garden City, who freely admits the plan won't go far the first time around in the legislative windmill, largely due to organized labor opposition.

But he's for it anyway, seeing among other things, a chance for school boards to counter a negative image.

Keith claims school boards have a reputation of being against everything — "against educating kids in wheelchairs, against providing nutritional lunches to children, against opening their records to the public."

The open bargaining plan, he claims, "will be an opportunity for my school board friends to be the good guys for a change."

Would it help or hinder the public good? In Florida, according to Donald Magruder, executive director of the

Florida School Board's Association, it has neither helped nor harmed the bargaining process; but he indicated it could relieve some pressure on school boards:

"Everywhere parents are viewing with alarm the collective bargaining process, asking themselves 'while they're making deals in secret, who is looking out for our interests?'"

It's an interesting concept. While I personally don't have a firm position on the question, I'd be inclined to give it a try.

## TV pervasive

Speaking of children — and that's what schools and school boards and teachers and all those things are supposed to be about, if you'll recall — the recent cover essay by Newsweek on children and television listed some sobering statistics.

"According to A. C. Nielsen, children under 5 watch an average of 23.5 hours of TV a week," Newsweek wrote. "That may be less than the weekly video diet of adults (about 44 hours) but its effects are potentially enormous."

"Multiplied out over 17 years, that rate of viewing means that by his high school graduation, today's typical teenager will have logged at least 15,000 hours before the small screen — more time than he will have spent on any other activity except sleep."

"And at present levels of advertising and mayhem, he will have been exposed to 350,000 commercials and vicariously participated in 18,000 murders."

Then Newsweek draws what it calls an "inescapable conclusion: after parents, television has become perhaps the most potent influence on the beliefs, attitudes, values and behavior of those who are being raised in its all-pervasive glow."

I argue not with the statistics, nor with the conclusion — except, perhaps, wondering whether parents are still ahead of TV in influence on the young.

Instead, I quiver at the import of the facts. As a society we ignore the influence of the tube at our peril.

# JMC Students Look For Roots of Drama

EAST LANSING — Holly Knibbs of Grayling is among 30 students taking a Michigan State University seminar format course to determine what qualities make drama a universal cultural phenomenon.

Until now, anthropologists have explained the birth of drama as an outgrowth of any one particular ritual in man's cultural history. But a theatre professor and an anthropologist at MSU's Justin Morrill College say it's not that simple.

Professors Sears Eldredge and Pamela Holcomb Oestreicher, team teachers of the course "Roots of Drama," contend that the origins of drama vary from culture to culture just as the art form itself does.

The search for the origins of theatre was a popular pursuit at the turn of the century, but early anthropologists sought the origins in one ritual or one particular kind of ritual.

Knibbs, the daughter of Mrs. Mary Jane Knibbs of RR1, is a 1974 graduate of Grayling High School. She is a junior in Justin Morrill College with a field of concentration in history. Knibbs is also a member of MSU's Honors College and has an MSU Creative Arts Scholarship. She has appeared in theatre productions in Justin Morrill College and in the theatre department.

## Card of Thanks

We would like to thank the Lions Club and Grayling Booster Club for the potluck benefit dinner they had for us. Also, the Lions Club for initiating the bank account at the Grayling State Bank and all the people who contributed. We would also like to thank the Youth Bowling League for the plaque in memory of our 3 children. Also, Dr. Wayne Casler and Dr. Paul Mesak and staff of the Grayling Hospital for Animals, for the great care they gave to our poodle, Shawn, who also was overcome by carbon monoxide. We want everyone to know we appreciate everything that they have done for us in any way. All these acts of kindness will never be forgotten. Ray, Judy and Janette Sloan

## Bride Elect



Leigh Cary, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dwight P. Cary, and Dennis Theaker, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred W. C. Theaker, have chosen August 6, 1977 as the date for their wedding. Both Dennis and Leigh are graduates of Grayling High School and are presently attending Central Michigan University in Mt. Pleasant.

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## Lovells News

by Ruth Caid

Due to the Board of Review meeting at the Township Hall on Tuesday, the Senior Citizens will not be able to meet. However, you are invited to have dinner at the Center on that day.

Ruth Caid had the card party last week. Prizes were won by Sophie Koerke, Betty McGowan, Jack Kearney, Gayle DeBoer, Alice and John Campau. Mr. and Mrs. Ray Duby will have the party this week.

The Cheerful Givers Club met at the home of Mrs. Imilda Stahl Thursday evening. Games were enjoyed. Prizes were won by Helen Spencer and Betta Kinsman. A delicious luncheon was served by the hostess. The next meeting will be at the home of Betta Kinsman on March 17th.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill McGowan enjoyed having his mother with them for a few days.

## District Court

The following appeared in the 83rd District Court before Judge Francis L. Walsh:

James M. Knapp, 20, and Charles A. Wheeler, 19, both of Roscommon demanded preliminary examination on charges of 1) Armed Robbery, 2) Assault with intent to do great bodily harm less than the crime of murder, and 3) Possession of a firearm while committing a felony. The 12 day period was not waived and bond was set for the two men at \$20,000.00 cash/surety each. They were apprehended on a citizen's complaint February 21.

Mark L. Coder, 18, of Crawfordville, Ind., demanded preliminary examination on charges of larceny from a building and breaking and entering. Bond was set at \$2,500.00 for the breaking and entering charge and \$1,000.00 bond for the larceny from a building offense. He was apprehended on a citizen's complaint.

Edward R. Sajdak, 21, of Grayling was bound over to circuit court after preliminary examination on a charge of resisting, obstructing, and opposing an officer. Bond was set at \$1,000.00. Sheriff's Deputies arrested Sajdak December 5, 1976.

David E. Annis, 27, of Grayling demanded preliminary examination to a charge of felonious assault. The 12 day period was waived and bond was set at \$1,000.00. He was apprehended on a citizen's complaint February 23.

Clifford I. Beck, 29, of Grayling entered a plea of nolo contendere to a charge of simple larceny and was ordered to pay fine and costs of \$65.00 or 7 days in jail. He was apprehended on a citizen's complaint January 1.

Steven Clifford Babbitt, 24, and Mike L. Aversano, 17, both of Grayling were fined \$205.00 or 30 days in jail after pleading guilty to a charge of unlawful use of marijuana. Babbitt was arrested December 22, 1976 and Aversano was arrested August 12 both by sheriff's deputies.

Crystal Ann Davis, 21, of Grayling was ordered to pay fine and costs of \$185.00 or 14 days in jail after pleading guilty to a charge of impaired driving. City Police arrested her July 29, 1976.

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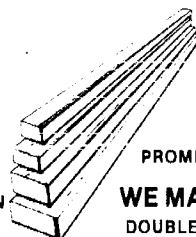
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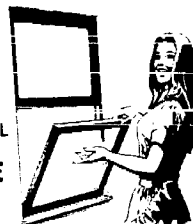
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## The Legend of The Shamrock

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The shamrock, that simple little three leaf clover, has been a symbol of many things throughout the years. It appeared in Irish folklore beginning as far back as the Fifth Century. It has been a religious symbol, a political symbol, a symbol of oppression, revelry, of cheer and luck and now for many people it has become a symbol of hope.

St. Patrick, who was a missionary in Ireland during the Fifth Century, is said to have used the shamrock in his teaching as a symbol of the Trinity. The three leaves represented the three forms of the Christian Deity. St. Patrick has also been credited with driving the snakes out of Ireland and legend has it that he was standing in a field of shamrocks when he did it. So, the shamrocks took on a sense of power and almost magic.

St. Patrick died on the 17th day of March. Historians can't seem to agree on the year. Anyway, that is the day we now celebrate in his honor and one way we celebrate is wearing the shamrock.

There is now a new meaning for the shamrock. It still seems happiness and luck, but now it can also mean hope - hope for hundreds of thousands of children and adults who suffer from muscular dystrophy and related neuromuscular diseases. This St. Patrick's month, volunteers across the nation will be handing out special green "Shamrocks Against Muscular Dystrophy" tags as they campaign for funds to fight these tragic and crippling diseases. They will be asking for a donation, money that will support the comprehensive patient services program and the world-wide research program of the Muscular Dystrophy Association.

The Grayling High School Student Council will be visiting the Grayling Schools on March 17th collecting for "Shamrocks Against Muscular Dystrophy". The dream at the end of the rainbow can come true with your help and with a little "Luck of the Irish". Thanks for caring. Thanks for sharing.

Grayling High School Student Council

## Raccoon, Cat And Dog

By Christopher Bernard

I asked the kids in the Elementary School to write a story and I would see what we could do with it. Well, I got three, one about a cat, another about a dog, and the third one about a raccoon. I have combined the three together and here is the story I came up with. But I'm only copying ideas from the kids' stories, so if you like it, give them the credit.

My mom and dad and I decided to fly to California for a vacation, but we had one problem - what to do with Snowflake, my kitten, Kelley, my puppy and Rex, my raccoon. So dad said, "Mommie, you put Snowflake in your purse, I'll put Kelley in my briefcase and Shelly, you put Rex in your pocket." We did and got on the plane. All was fine until we got way up in the air, then Rex jumped out of my pocket. Snowflake jumped out of mommie's purse (she is still sorry she opened that big purse), and my daddy sure does wish he hadn't opened his briefcase and let Kelley out. Well, anyhow, my puppy was chasing my kitten down the aisle of the plane, the steward was chasing both of them, and daddy was chasing the whole bunch - wonder which one he wanted to catch. O - well! In the meantime, Rex was crawling under the seats, brushing people's legs as he passed. One lady jumped up and screamed and slapped the man sitting next to her. Wonder why she did that, Rex didn't mean no harm. Pretty soon it got to the point where everyone on the plane was running up and down the aisle trying to catch my kitten, my puppy, and Rex. The Captain came running out of the cockpit and wanted to know who was trying to hijack the plane. Well, I couldn't think of anything else to say so I hollered out, "Rex, the raccoon, is." About that time, Rex took a friendly nip at the captain's leg - you would be surprised now nigh he jumped. Then he started looking - everyone was crawling around on their hands and knees - looking for all my little friends. Meanwhile, my puppy crawled back in dad's briefcase, my kitten got back in mommie's purse and Rex crawled back in my pocket. So my mommie and daddy sat down while the plane landed, while everyone else there was crawling around looking for my little friends. Well anyhow, my mommie and daddy with my little friends walked down the steps alone - no one else followed.

The president of the airline walked up the stairs, looked and saw all those people crawling around looking for Rex. He just turned around and said, "My Lord" and I thought he jacking was back."

## School Activities

## School Activities Calendar

Week of March 11 to 17

Friday, March 11

The Grayling Christian School will use the Grayling Elementary Gym this evening.

Saturday, March 12

The Grayling Middle School will be the site of a Middle School Wrestling Tournament all day today. Today is the Girl's Volleyball Regional Playoffs.

Tuesday, March 13

The Grayling Area Cub Scouts will hold their Pack Meeting in the Grayling Elementary School. There will be a public hearing presented by Grayling Township in the high school auditorium.

Thursday, March 17

The Frederic sixth grade class will hold a carnival in the Frederic Elementary School. The High School Band will present a concert in the High School Auditorium. Dennis Cooper is coming March 24th.

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What one man can do easily another flinches from. It really seems as if God planned it that way. He made us in varying sizes, shapes and colors. He gave us all different talents. When you add up the sum total it means that each of us is unique.

Next time you're feeling down, think about the uniqueness. You are you - you even have fingerprints that don't match those of any other person in the world. Being you is important. Don't let anyone tell you otherwise.

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## Former Director Responds to Former Chamber Mgr. Charges

To The Community:

As a past member of the Board of Directors for the Chamber of Commerce I was surprised and slightly provoked at the letter read on WGRY yesterday. Initially sorry to hear the current manager had resigned, as I know what it required to obtain and train a new manager, and subsequently provoked at the after taste this letter could leave in the community.

I do not have a copy of the letter to refer to but I will try to comment in some areas that I recall were in question by the former manager.

First of all, the membership should be reminded that the manager and a secretary are the only paid positions in the Chamber. The elected Board of Directors are all voluntary and non-paid, interested persons of the business community who contribute their time to the Chamber business, many times taking away valuable time from their own business and work.

Naturally, the manager who is being paid is expected to do most of the work associated with the business of the Chamber. One of these duties includes the receipt and disbursement of Chamber monies. It would be inconceivable not to have the manager sign checks or receipt for monies. At each meeting the Board reviews the financial statement and approves / disapproves disbursements. If the manager writes his/her own check and the Board reviews and approves the transactions then whose integrity is the former manager questioning?

The fact that new directors were elected by the Board of Directors is a fact and has always been. The constitution and by-laws state that a nomination committee select nominees and the Board of Directors elect the new Directors. I recall several years ago the Board tried to elect new Directors by having the membership vote. First of all, not enough nominations were received from the membership, then only approximately 10% of the membership even bothered to vote when the election took place. Can you imagine the membership electing someone to serve on the Board that didn't want to give the time and effort required to perform that function? The best method is still to nominate those persons interested in the position and to select a mixture of persons from various businesses to preclude an imbalance of the Director positions.

Now as far as the manager having to go out and collect dues or obtain new members, who do you think should do that? Certainly the Directors are concerned with these matters and do expend time and energy in this area, but after all, I consider these tasks one of the main duties of a good manager, remembering the manager is being paid and the true foundation of the Chamber is the membership.

I would be remiss to say that the Chamber does not need any reorganization. Certainly there are areas that could be improved. The largest single improvement would be membership involvement. Where are the members when the work is to be done? It's the same dedicated members performing tasks time after time with the majority being apathetic. Payment of dues is very important to the Chamber in order to carry out the business of promotion of this area. Those who are late or not paying at all are doing themselves and the business community an injustice.

All I can say is your Chamber of Commerce is doing the job for you with the resources available. Grayling area is well known and publicized and is a great community. Now is the time to get behind your Chamber with your personal help and your membership dues in order to keep our community the best in the North.

Sincerely,  
Duane Gloan  
Past member of the  
Board of Directors

## Frederic Community Library

Be sure to stop in the library and look over our selection of books. We have three new books that have been added, as follows: "The Lonely Lady" by Harold Robbins. She is modern fiction's most talked about heroine. This story will soon be made into a film from Universal Pictures. "Smoldering Fires" by Anya Seton, is another one of the novels. It is the Psychic suspense story of a young 20th century woman caught in an 18th century love affair. For the many of you who have seen Charles W. Colson on TV recently, you will want to read his book "Born Again". It's the story of how Nixon's hatchet man found spiritual rebirth.

Anyone that would like to make a donation to the Frederic Community Library Building Fund, or place a memorial or a gift in memory of a loved one, can turn in their donations to Rita Sarault or Morna Newberry. They can also be sent direct to either, (check payable to) Frederic Community Library Building Fund, Frederic, MI. 49733. The building fund now stands at \$3,550.22.

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Merna Newberry

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## KCC's Veteran Coordinator Attends Conference

Carole Chilton, Veterans Affairs Coordinator at Kirtland Community College, attended the Third Annual National Association of Veterans Program Administration in Washington, D.C. on February 6-9. The Office of Veterans Affairs at Kirtland Community College serves 300 students who are eligible for V.A. benefits. The convention was attended by veteran coordinators throughout the country. The majority of the coordinators oversee the Office of Veterans Affairs in universities and colleges. Key personnel from educational associations, Veterans Administration, Federal agencies, veterans organizations, Congress, and the Administration were invited guests and participants. Workshops, panels and general sessions dealt with a variety of topics of vital interest and concern. They included V.A. regulations, V.A. abuses, standards of academic progress, health care, and a comprehensive re-adjustment packet aimed at prevention of abuses.

Most of the institutions represented by the veterans coordinators in attendance received an annual VCIP grant from HEW. VCIP is the acronym for Veterans Cost of Instruction Program. Kirtland Community College received a VCIP grant for \$7,265.00 for the 76-77 school year. The former administration authorized the continuation of the program until 1979. However, Ford did not request funding for the program for the coming school year.

A highlight of the convention was a review and report on the

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Veterans Cost - of - Instruction Program. It inspired the Coordinators to visit Capitol Hill and inform their respective congressmen and senators of the value of this program which mandates recruitment, counseling, outreach, and special education programs for veterans. In addition to these duties, most veteran coordinators are also responsible for all the V.A. paperwork necessary for veterans to effectively receive their educational benefits.

Miss Chilton visited the offices of Senator Riegle and Congressman Harold Sawyer who is a member of House Veterans Affairs Committee.

## First Returns In For RSVP Mail Campaign

The first returns have started coming in to the Grayling State Bank for the RSVP fund raising campaign. 500 persons on Route 2 received their letter last week explaining the RSVP program and the need to raise \$3,000 by the first of June. Forrest Webster, Finance Chairman, states "This test mailing will indicate whether it will be worthwhile to mail to all residents of Crawford County."

The mail campaign was made possible by a generous donation from Bear Archery Company to purchase the bulk mail permit. This \$3,000 will go directly to the senior volunteers in Crawford County to cover the cost of their insurance, and to reimburse them for mileage while traveling to and from their volunteer assignments, and for the Recognition Dinner which will be held the end of April. So far, approximately \$150 has been received. A list of donors will be published in the Avalanche.

"These funds are necessary," states Helen Moon, Director, "to complete our 4th year's non-federal requirements of 30% match." Donations can be sent to the Grayling State Bank, P.O. Box 489, Grayling, Michigan, c/o RSVP.

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## ABWA News

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Our guest was Mickey Porco. The guest speaker of the evening was Paul Thomson of Cornell Insurance. Paul gave a very interesting talk on auto, home and life insurance and answered many of our questions. Thank you, Paul, for your time with us.

Carol Miller was our vocalists, and Carol told she is co-owner of Miller Hardware, and enjoys her role as a working woman, as well as being a mother and wife. Topics of discussion for the evening were the Great Lakes Regional Conference, April 15-17, the Spring Enrollment Event March 15 and Boss Night April 19. Norma Naour is the chairman of Boss Night. We also discussed Woman of the Year nominations, and Carol accepted the chairmanship of this event.

Our meeting closed with Marty Reichelderfer giving the benediction.

Jan Reynolds  
Public Relations Chairman

## Legal Notice

**STATE OF MICHIGAN**  
**The Probate Court for the County of Crawford.**  
Estate of Hattie L. Worden aka Hattie M. Worden, deceased.

**NOTICE OF HEARING**  
Take Notice, on February 28, 1977, at 1:30 p.m., in the Probate Courtroom, at Grayling, Michigan, before Hon. Emil L. Kraus, Judge of Probate, a hearing will be held on the petition of Gary L. Worden, (the will of the deceased dated May 14, 1964 was admitted to probate) and administration of the estate was granted to Gary L. Worden of Grayling, Michigan.

Creditors of the deceased are notified that all claims against the estate must be presented to said Gary L. Worden at Karen Woods, Grayling, Michigan 49738 and proof thereof filed with the court on or before May 16, 1977. Notice is further given that the estate will be thereupon assigned to persons determined of record entitled thereto.

Dated: February 28, 1977  
Gary L. Worden  
Petitioner  
Karen Woods  
Grayling, Michigan 49738  
Attorney for Petitioner:  
James V. Rutledge P19787  
Box 485  
Roscommon, Mich. 48653  
Phone 517-275-5370

The law provides that you should be notified of this hearing. Unless you have been otherwise instructed, you are not required to attend the hearing, but it is your privilege to do so.

## Legal Notice

**In the District Court for the County of Crawford.**  
Harold M. Guedry and Cynthia M. Guedry, husband and wife, Plaintiffs  
vs.  
Silvester Reyes, a single man, Defendant.

**ORDER**  
Petitioners motion for an order allowing service of process by publication upon defendant, Silvester Reyes, a single man, having been heard, and the affidavit filed in support of said motion having been considered, the Court finds that service of process by publication provided for under DCR 106 is necessary as the whereabouts of the defendant and his residence are unknown; that the defendant probably resides outside of the State; and a summons and two alias summons have been returned showing that the service of process cannot be made in the County where the defendant previously resided.

Now, therefore, the defendant, Silvester Reyes, a single man, is hereby notified that a Civil Action has been commenced against him for forfeiture of a certain land contract dated the 1st day of July, 1975 between the parties hereto for the following described property, to wit:  
Parcel 10 - Part of the N 1/2 of the NE 1/4 of Section 34, T26N, R37W, the P.O.B. at the N 1/2 corner of said Section 34, TH N89°56'E (along the Section line), 300 feet, TH S0°19'E, 300 ft., TH N 89°56'E, 117.0 ft., TH S0°11'14"E, 162.75 feet, thence S89°53'W, 333.6 feet, TH N0°11'16"W, 981.43 feet, thence S64°36'W, 84.1 feet, thence N0°19'W, 346.5 feet to the P.O.B., containing 10.02 acres, Township of Maple Forest, County of Crawford, State of Michigan.

And that, if you desire to defend same, you are required to answer or take such other action as may be permitted by law with regard to the complaint filed against you, in the District Court for the County of Crawford on or before March 22, 1977, at 11:00 a.m. if you fail to do so, judgment by default will be taken against you for the relief demanded in the complaint.  
Dated: February 15, 1977  
Francis L. Walsh  
District Judge

David R. Saban  
Clerk Michigan Ave.  
Grayling, Michigan 49738  
24-3-10-17

## COOR Crickets In Cage Tie

The basket made by Frank Schoen with only 10 seconds left in overtime, allowed the COOR Crickets to pull out a 34-34 tie with the Mt. Pleasant Center for Human Development in a Special Olympics Basketball Game. The game which was played last Thursday before a packed house at the C.H.D. Field House in Mt. Pleasant, marked the first meeting ever between teams from the two Centers. The tie resulted because of a time limitation set prior to the game.

Led by Ron White and J.J. Austin's offensive plays the Crickets took an early lead and were ahead 20-14 at the half. The C.H.D. fought back throughout the second half and tied the score at 32 all at the end of regulation time. The Mt. Pleasant team scored first in the 3 minute overtime period to lead 34 to 32. Following several missed shots by both teams, J.J. Austin drove the length of the floor before passing off to Schoen who dumped in the game tying basket.

J.J. Austin of Houghton Lake, put together his second highest scoring game of the year and lead the Cricket attack with 22 points. Ron White of West Branch, and Richard Good, Gladwin, each added 4 points for the Crickets.

Don Borchert of Grayling scored 2 points. Ted Couture of West Branch, and Lori Sue Siewert of Grayling, turned in fine defensive efforts for the Crickets.

**Moose Chatter**  
by Clarence Tetting  
There won't be any music at the Lodge until further notice.

There will be another Fish Fry Friday night, March 11th. Serving will be from 6:00 p.m. until 9:00 p.m. All you can eat for \$2.50.

We are very glad to hear that Brother Glen Cavanaugh is on the mend.

The Women of the Moose had a very good turnout for their chapter Rally Day.

It won't be long until the nominating will be appointed for the nominating of candidates for the election coming up in April. The offices to be filled this year are Governor, Jr. Governor, Preatate, Treasurer, 1st year, 2nd year and 3rd year Trustees. If you have been a member for six months and are interested in the Lodge, then come in and sign up for the office you are interested in.

## Legal Notice

**NOTICE BY PERSONS CLAIMING TITLE UNDER TAX DEED - (Revised 1971)**  
To the Owner or Owners of any and all interests in, or Liens upon the Lands herein described:

TAKE NOTICE, that sale has been lawfully made of the following described land for unpaid taxes thereon, and that the undersigned has title thereto under tax deed or deeds issued therefor, and that you are entitled to a reconveyance thereof, at any time within 6 months after return of service of this notice, upon payment to the undersigned or to the Register in Chancery of the County in which the lands lie, of all sums paid upon such purchase, together with 50 per centum additional thereto, and the fees of the Sheriff for the service of this notice, to be computed as upon personal service of a declaration as commencement of suit, and the further sum of five dollars for each description without other additional cost or charges; PROVIDED, that with respect to purchasers at the tax sale held in the years 1938, 1939 and 1940 the sum stated in such notice as a condition of reconveyance shall only be all sums paid as a condition of the tax title purchase, together with 10 per centum additional thereto. If payment as aforesaid is not made, the undersigned will institute Proceedings for possession of the land.

Description of Land:  
"State of Michigan, County of Crawford, Lot 593, Plat of "Warbler's Hideaway No. 4" according to the Plat thereof recorded in Libe 2, page 24, Crawford County Records."  
Amount necessary to redeem, \$195.84 plus the fees of the Sheriff.

Mark T. Moore  
4568 15 Mile #205  
Sterling Hts., MI. 48077  
TO: Marie Trahan, last grantee in the regular chain title of such lands or of any interest therein as appearing by the records in the office of the Register of Deeds of said County. Mark T. Moore, grantee under the tax deed issued by the Auditor General for the latest year's taxes appearing of record in said registry of deeds.  
STATE OF MICHIGAN ss  
COUNTY OF SAGINAW  
I DO HEREBY CERTIFY AND RETURN, that the within Notice was delivered to me for service on the 6th day of December, 1976, and that after careful inquiry, which has been continued from that time until this date, I am unable to ascertain the whereabouts of said grantee or any interest therein as appearing by the records in the office of the Register of Deeds of said County. I am unable to ascertain the whereabouts of said grantee or any interest therein as appearing by the records in the office of the Register of Deeds of said County. I am unable to ascertain the whereabouts of said grantee or any interest therein as appearing by the records in the office of the Register of Deeds of said County.

3-10-17-24

## Legal Notice

**STATE OF MICHIGAN**  
**In the Probate Court for the County of Crawford.**  
The Estate of Robert H. Lepsy, Disappeared Person.

**NOTICE OF HEARING**  
TAKE NOTICE that on the 18th day of May, 1977 at ten o'clock a.m. in the Probate Courtroom at the Court House in the City of Grayling, Michigan before the Honorable Emil L. Kraus, Judge of Probate, a hearing will be held on the petition of Jacqueline Lepsy for appointment as Administratrix for the Estate of Robert H. Lepsy, a Disappeared Person.

**NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN** that a determination of the legal heirs of said disappeared person will be made on said date. **NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN** that creditors of the said disappeared person are notified that all claims against the estate must be presented to the said Jacqueline Lepsy at 405 Maple Street, Grayling, Mich. 49738 and proof thereof, with copies of claims filed with the court on or before May 18, 1977.

**NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN** that the estate thereafter will be assigned to persons appearing of record entitled thereto.  
Dated: January 10, 1977  
Jacqueline Lepsy, Petitioner  
405 Maple Street  
Grayling, Michigan 49738  
Nelson A. Miles  
Attorney for Petitioner  
P.O. Box 303  
Grayling, Michigan 49738  
Phone: (517) 348-9022  
1-13/2-10/3-10/4-14

## Legal Notice

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STATE OF MICHIGAN ss  
COUNTY OF SAGINAW  
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## Public Notice

Notice is hereby given that Grayling Moose Lodge 1162 located at 305 Peninsular, Grayling, Michigan, has applied to the Michigan Liquor Control Commission for renewal of its club license and that it is the intent of the Liquor Control Commission to grant said license upon expiration of the present license.  
Dated: March 3, 1977.  
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## Legal Notice

**STATE OF MICHIGAN**  
**Probate Court for the County of Crawford**  
Estate of Clifford C. Chapman.

It is Ordered that on March 18, 1977, at 10:00 a.m., in the Probate Courtroom County of Crawford, Grayling, Michigan a hearing be held on the Petition of Terrence H. Bloomquist, for appointment as Administrator of said Estate, or some other suitable person as Administrator, and for the determination of Heirs.

Creditors of the deceased are notified that all claims against the Estate must be presented to Terrence H. Bloomquist, 306 State Street, P.O. Box 708, Grayling, Michigan, 49738, and proof thereof filed with the Probate Court on or before the 13th day of May, 1977.

Notice is hereby given that the Estate will be thereupon assigned to persons determined of record and title thereto.

Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court Rule.  
Dated: February 25, 1977.  
Honorable Emil L. Kraus  
Judge of Probate

Attorney for Estate of Clifford C. Chapman  
Terrence H. Bloomquist  
306 State Street  
P.O. Box 708  
Grayling, Mich. 49738  
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Description of Land:  
"State of Michigan, County of Crawford, lots 69 and 70, Warbler's Hideaway Number 1, Lovells Township, according to plat thereof."  
Amount necessary to redeem, \$75.60 plus the fees of the Sheriff.

Ronald R. Moore  
507 State St.  
Eaton Rapids, MI. 48827  
TO: Barbara McMurphy, last grantee in the regular chain title of such lands or of any interest therein as appearing by the records in the office of the Register of Deeds of said County. Ronald R. Moore, grantee under the tax deed issued by the Auditor General for the latest year's taxes appearing of record in said registry of deeds.  
STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Bay  
I do hereby certify and return, that the within notice was delivered to me for service on the 24th day of December, 1976, and that after careful inquiry, which has been continued from that time until this date, I am unable to ascertain the whereabouts of said grantee or any interest therein as appearing by the records in the office of the Register of Deeds of said County. I am unable to ascertain the whereabouts of said grantee or any interest therein as appearing by the records in the office of the Register of Deeds of said County. I am unable to ascertain the whereabouts of said grantee or any interest therein as appearing by the records in the office of the Register of Deeds of said County.

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## FREDERIC TOWNSHIP BOARD OF REVIEW

WILL MEET ON MARCH 14th, 15th AND 26th FROM 9 A.M. TO 5 P.M. AT THE TOWNSHIP HALL TO MEET WITH TAXPAYERS.

	Tentative Ratio	Factor
Real	36.39	1.30233
Personal	49.99	1.00018

MILDRED HARMER  
Township Clerk

HAROLD MERTES  
Supervisor

## BEAVER CREEK TWP. BOARD OF REVIEW

WILL MEET ON MARCH 14th FROM 9 A.M. TO 4 P.M. AND MARCH 15th FROM 1:00 P.M. TO 8:00 P.M. AT THE TOWNSHIP HALL TO MEET WITH TAXPAYERS.

	Tentative Ratio	Factor
Real	43.52	1.14889
Personal	48.72	1.02617

VIRGINIA MILLIKIN  
Township Clerk

JOHN SMALL  
Supervisor

## GRAYLING TOWNSHIP BOARD OF REVIEW

WILL MEET ON MARCH 14th AND 15th FROM 9 TO 12 AND 1 TO 4:30 AT THE GRAYLING CITY HALL TO MEET WITH TAXPAYERS.

	Tentative Ratio	Factor
Real	31.20	1.60233
Personal	49.88	1.00237

ELIZABETH WIELAND  
Township Clerk

BERNARD FOWLER  
Supervisor

## SOUTH BRANCH TWP. BOARD OF REVIEW

WILL MEET ON MARCH 14th AND 15th FROM 9 TO 12 AND 1 TO 4 AT THE TOWNSHIP HALL TO MEET WITH TAXPAYERS.

	Tentative Ratio	Factor
Real	43.40	1.13140
Personal	49.86	1.00280

MARY M. MOLLON  
Township Clerk

GEORGE RYBICKI  
Supervisor

## LOVELLS TOWNSHIP BOARD OF REVIEW

WILL MEET ON MARCH 14th AND 15th AT THE TOWNSHIP HALL FROM 9 A.M. TO 4 P.M. TO MEET WITH TAXPAYERS.

	Tentative Ratio	Factor
Real	38.96	1.28332
Personal	50.00	0.99997

HELEN SPENCER  
Township Clerk

FREDERICK SCHAIBLY  
Supervisor

## St. Pat's Benefit Dance March 19th

A St. Patrick's Day Benefit Dance will be held on Saturday, March 19th from 5:00 p.m. to 1:00 a.m. at the Bear Lake Township Community Center on M-72 and East Bear Lake Road, which is half-way between Grayling and Kalkaska.

This will be a Potluck dinner, bring a dish to pass, your own table service and refreshments.

Dance to the music of "The Redhearts" from Petoskey. There will be a Grocery Basket given away. Donation is \$5.00 a couple and \$3.00 for single.

All proceeds will go to the Bear Lake Township Volunteer Fire Department for more firefighting equipment.

Thanking you, we are,  
B.L.F.D. Auxiliary

## In Memorium

In memory of Clair Madson Sr., who passed away 3 months ago March 15, 1977. Greatly missed by his housekeeper and his companion through his sickness the last 7 1/2 years.

Madeline Fleming

## Legal Notice

### Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made the 28th day of August, 1969, by Clifford I. Beck and Betty M. Beck, assumed by Frank W. Weaver and Linda E. Weaver, as mortgagors, to United States of America, as mortgagee, and recorded on August 28, 1969, in Liber 099 of mortgages on pages 243-246 in the Office of the Register of Deeds for Crawford County, Michigan; on which mortgages there is claimed to be due and unpaid at the date of this Notice Thirteen Thousand Five Hundred Twenty-Eight and 33/100 dollars (\$13,528.33) principal and Nine Hundred Sixty-Three and No/100 dollars (\$963.00) interest; no suit or proceeding at law or in equity having been instituted to recover the debt, or any part of the debt, secured by said mortgages, and the power of sale contained in said mortgages having become operative by reason of such default;

NOW THEREFORE, Notice is Hereby Given that on March 30, 1977, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at the east side front steps of the Courthouse in Grayling, Michigan, that being the place for holding the Circuit Court for the County of Crawford, there will be offered for sale and sold to the highest bidder, at public sale, for the purpose of satisfying the amounts due and unpaid upon said mortgages, together with the legal costs and charges of sale, provided by law and in said mortgages, the lands and premises in said mortgages mentioned and described, as follows, to-wit:

Property located in Crawford County, in the State of Michigan, Lots One (1) and Two (2) and the East 47-1/2 feet of Lot Three (3), Block Six (6), BRINKS PARK, according to the plat thereof as recorded in Liber 1 of Plats, page 33, Crawford County Records. The redemption period will be six months from the time of such sale. Property may be redeemed by paying amount bid at sale plus 6 1/2% interest and any unpaid encumbrances on the property from date of sale. Dated February 9, 1977.

Mrs. Winifred D. Molony  
Regional Attorney  
U.S. Dept. of Agriculture  
Room 2920  
230 South Dearborn Street  
Chicago, Illinois 60604  
Attorney for Mortgagee

For Additional Information  
Please Contact:  
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Acting through Farmers  
Home Administration  
Calvin C. Lutz  
State Director  
Room 209  
1405 South Harrison Road  
East Lansing, Mich. 48823  
Mortgagee

10-17-24-3-10

## Scholarship to Continue Aviation Education

By Rod Denley

An African student living here in Grayling and studying aviation at Kirtland College, has been awarded a scholarship to continue his education.

Humphrey Paul, 26, of Nigeria, Africa says he will miss Grayling very much when he leaves here to continue his career in aviation design at another university.

His stay here so far has been pleasant and he says he will never forget his two years here, and the memories he will take, he says, are good ones.

It's a long way from Nigeria, Africa to Grayling. The young student here has found the people friendly and the fried chicken as good as it was back home.

He is presently working toward his airframe and powerplant licenses along with over 50 other students at the school, located at the Grayling Airport.

Recently awarded a scholarship from the Nigerian government, he now plans to go on to study aircraft design and construction. Mr. Paul has applied to several different schools which offer more advanced courses to enlarge on the studies he is completing here.

"This course has been a very, very good foundation," he said. "I'm lucky to be a student here where the instruction is excellent."

The scholarship awarded the young man, who left behind a family of 14 brothers and sisters to come here, is open-ended. As long as he does well he can go as high as he wants in the field of jet engines, which is where he is setting his goals. He can, if he wants, also take a masters or doctorate under the terms of the award.

There are many differences from life on the farm where he used to live, but, some surprising similarities as well. "I just love fried chicken," he said and added, he was glad to find out it was an American favorite as well as in his homeland. Like anyone else far from home he misses his mother's cooking, but says he has developed a great enjoyment for hamburgs and pizza.

Mr. Paul has been touched by the friendliness and the consideration of local people. He had warm words of praise and thanks for the people of the school and especially for the local families where he has stayed. "They have all been very, very good to me," he said. "No matter where I go to continue my education in the United States, I know I will always come back to Grayling before I leave because of the good people here."

He flew from Africa to New York and then to Detroit Metro Airport before coming to Grayling. "New York was such a huge city," he said. When I first arrived I had no driving permit or car, but I never worried about a ride since someone was always there.

Now well into his second winter, he feels more experienced than when he had to deal with his first one. "It was hard to even stand up because I was not used to snow at all." When I started to drive people would joke and say "There is your trademark Humphrey," as they pointed at marks in the snowbank where he had slid into them.

Since Nigeria was formerly a British colony, Mr. Paul learned English in his home country and had no problems with language here. Many people think he is from Jamaica due to his British accent. His fluency in English was one reason he decided to come to America to study. Other countries offer aviation schools but for instance, if he had gone to Germany, he would have had to learn a new language. He also feels that the United States is the technological center for aviation and one of the most advanced countries in the field.

Mr. Paul says he realized while in Nigeria that there were great changes in store for his country in the future, and decided the field of aviation would be promising. He applied to several schools and when he received a scholarship from the Board of Trustees at Kirtland, decided to come to Grayling.

He is the first of his family to come here to study, although he



JET ENGINE DESIGN and construction have become a major field of interest for Humphrey Paul now that he has a scholarship to continue his studies in that field. (Rod Denley Photo)

does have cousins in Ohio, Oklahoma, Nebraska and Iowa. He has made two trips already to Columbus and has driven there and found his way around. The freeway driving and big cities he states, are definitely different from back home.

Another main difference he sees here is that children leave home much earlier than what he is used to at home. "No matter what your age you can stay at home," he said. The family there tends to stick much closer together and children benefit from the wisdom of the parents for many years longer than here in the United States.

"I have however, made lots of friends and I only wish there was a bigger university in this area. Then I would not have to leave to continue my education."

Most graduates from the school at Kirtland move into jobs in the aviation industry working on maintenance and repair. Mr. Paul says he will move onto the field of design and construction, and take with him many fond memories of Grayling and his first home in the United States.

## Mercy Hospital News

The following were among the patients at Mercy Hospital as of Monday, March 7. Marshall Atkinson, Anjanette Campbell, Sadie Colleen, Robert Davis, Bessie Douglas, Pearl Hedrick, Paul Loeffler, Patrick Murphy, Debra Muth, Eva SanCartier and William Spear, all of Grayling, and also Marilyn Strouse of Frederic.

Those released during the past week included Brenda Bonamie, Harvey Deese, Jeremy Gibson, Elizabeth Richter, Carlotta Rochette and baby and Janette Sloan, all of Grayling, and William Muth of Frederic.

A son, Jesse Paul, was born to Mr. and Mrs. James Cousineau of Roscommon on March 7, weighing 6 lbs. 11 ozs.

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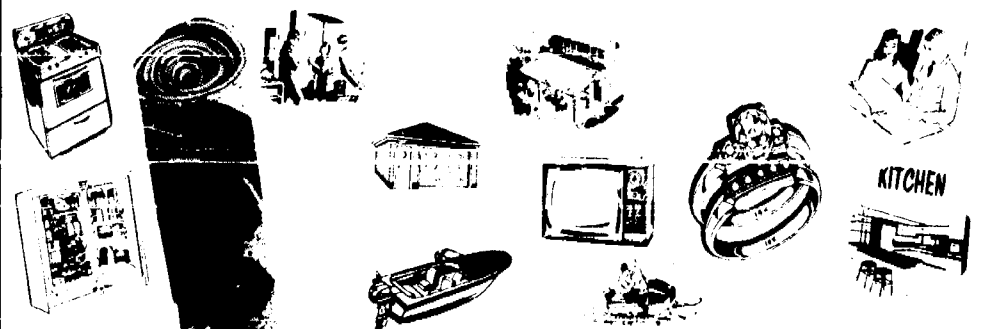
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**Thursday, March 10, 1977**

Section	Parcel	Owner	Acres	Value	Assessment	Notes
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Section No.	Description of Property	Sec. or Blk.	Year for Which Delinquent	Total of Taxes, Chgs. & Fees	Amount Due in Said Years
FREDERIC TOWNSHIP					
Town 27 North, Range 4 West					
20	174			131	
3	The Wly 325 ft of SW 1/4 of NW 1/4 lying S 1/2 of Manatee River and N 1/2 of E 1/2 of NW 1/4	12	1974	172	
4	Bag at SW Cor of SW 1/4 of SW 1/4, Th N on Sec line 56 ft. Th E 56 ft to Wly line of Co Rd, Th Co Rd, Th Co Rd 19.4 ft. Th N 51 ft to POB	31	1974	84.12	
5	Comm at the NW Cor of Sec 36, Th S 27° 59' 17" E 17 ft. Th 89 deg 49 min W 58 min E 80.9 ft. Th S 29 deg 30 min W 58 min E 80.9 ft. Th S 64 deg 30 min W 40' 22 1/2" to the Ausable River, Th Nly along said river 215 ft. Th N 74 deg 46 min E 67' 59 ft to the POB	36	1974	153.37	
6	Comm at NW Cor of Sec 36, Th Due N 7° 17' 05" E 17 ft. Th 89 deg 49 min W 58 min E 80.9 ft. Th S 29 deg 30 min W 58 min E 80.9 ft. Th S 74 deg 46 min W 57' 59 ft to Ausable River, Th Nly along river 270 ft. Th 89 deg 49 min E 72' 56 ft to the POB	36	1974	176.41	
Town 28 North, Range 4 West					
7	Entire Section 1	1974	1,637.99		
8	Section 10	1974	2,233.44		
9	NE 1/4 of NE 1/4	1974	140.33		
10	SE 1/4 of NE 1/4	1974	275.56		
11	SE 1/4 of SW 1/4, Sec E 1/4 of SE 1/4 of SW 1/4, Also E 1/2 of SE 1/4, Sec S 1/2 of SE 1/4 thereof	1974	262.13		
12	SE 1/4 of NW 1/4 of SW 1/4, less that part plattd as UpNorth Subdivision	1974	41.09		
13	S 1/2 of SE 1/4 of SW 1/4 less that part plattd as InnNorth and Twin Peaks #1	1974	149.35		
14	N 1/2 of SE 1/4 of SE 1/4	1974	54.62		
15	E 1/2 of NW 1/4 less that part plattd as UpNorth Subdivision	1974	95.22		
16	W 1/2 of NW 1/4 lying E of Hwy 27 exc. the N 1090 ft thereof, Also exc Bag 200 ft S of SW Cor of E 1/2 of NW 1/4	1974	126.80		
17	W 1/2 of NW 1/4, Th S 35 ft. Th E 130 ft. Th N 335 ft. Th W 130 ft to POB	1974	126.80		
18	N 1980 ft of W 1/2 of NW 1/4 lying E of Hwy 27	1974	722.25		
19	E 1/2 of SW 1/4 exc, that part plattd as UpNorth Subdivision	1974	190.93		
20	The SE 1/4 less plat of UpNorth Subdivision	1974	338.81		
21	Comm 820 ft N of SW Cor, Th E 250 ft. Th N 50 ft. Th S 50 ft to POB	1974	41.09		
22	Comm at a pt 170 ft N of SW Cor of SW 1/4 of SW 1/4, Th E 150 ft. Th N 50 ft. Th W 150 ft. Th S 50 ft. to POB	1974	126.80		
23	Comm at SW Cor of SW 1/4 of SW 1/4, Th N 20 rds. Th E 20 rds. Th S along Wly ROW to line of NW 1/4 of SE 1/4, Th W to POB	1974	77.18		
Entire Section 24					
24	1974		1,651.53		
25	S 1/2 of N 1/2 of SE 1/4 lying E of MCR	1974	474.23		
26	Comm 350 ft N of SE Cor of SW 1/4 of SE 1/4 Th N 200 ft. Th W to ROW line of Hwy 27. Th S to a pt West of POB, Th E 26 ft to POB	1974	194.46		
27	All that part of W 1/2 of E 1/2 of W 1/2 of NE 1/4 of NW 1/4 lying North of Cameron Bridge Road	1974	54.62		
28	W 1/2 of E 1/2 of W 1/2 of SE 1/4 of NW 1/4	1974	65.26		
29	Comm at inter of line of line of S 35 and Ely ROW of Old 27, Th E 284 ft for POB, Th S 330 ft. Th E 1328 ft. Th S 1328 ft. Th E 270 ft. Th S 710 ft. Th E 1328 ft. Th N 1180 ft. Th W 616 ft. Th N 70 ft. Th W 66 ft to POB	1974	50.11		
30	NW 1/4 of NE 1/4 lying W of D & C R ROW	1974	63.64		
31	That portion of the abandoned East Jordan Branch R/W located in Section 24, T 28 N, R 4 W, and 35, lying E of Ausable River	1974	248.60		
32	Comm at SE Cor of NE 1/4 of NW 1/4, Th N 110 ft. Th W 110 ft. Th S 50 ft. Th E 110 ft to POB	1974	72.68		
33	Comm at SE Cor of NE 1/4 of NW 1/4, Th N 110 ft. Th W 110 ft. Th S 50 ft. Th E 110 ft to POB	1974	72.68		
34	All abandoned RR ROW lying on property located in Section 32, T 28 N, R 4 W, not included within the Village of Deward	1974	95.22		
VILLAGE OF FREDERICVILLE					
Original Plat					
35	Comm at SW Cor of Lot 1, Th E 65 ft. Th N 32 ft. Th W 65 ft. Th S 32 ft to POB	1974	27.87		
36	Ely 92 ft of Lot 4 & Ely 92 ft of N 1/2 of Lot 5	1974	59.14		
McFees Addition					
37	Lot 12	1974	54.62		
38	Lot 1	1974	54.62		
39	Lot 6	1974	176.41		
40	Lot 6	1974	144.84		
Dillays Addition					
41	Lot 6	1974	113.26		
Brown & Johnson Addition					
42	W 1/2 of Lot 9 & the S 35 ft of W 1/2 of Lot 10	1974	54.62		
Carroll A. Schrier Subdivision					
43	Lot 11	1974	149.35		
Hiwassee Banks Subdivision					
44	Lot 5	1974	45.60		
45	Lot 5 & 6	1974	289.19		
Indian Woods					
46	Lot 2	1974	32.23		
47	Lot 3	1974	32.23		
48	Lot 5	1974	32.23		
49	Lot 17	1974	32.23		
50	Lot 15	1974	32.23		
51	Lot 29	1974	32.23		
52	Lot 58	1974	32.23		
Manistee River Woods					
53	May Au Sahle Estates	1974	63.64		
54	Twin Peaks #1	1974	72.68		
55	Lot 160	1974	77.18		
56	Lot 161	1974	68.15		
57	Lot 186	1974	81.69		
58	Lot 187	1974	71.89		
59	Lot 188	1974	71.89		
60	Lot 217	1974	66.20		
61	Lot 219	1974	90.73		
62	Lot 245	1974	95.22		
UpNorth Unit #1					
63	Lot 2	1974	77.18		
64	Lot 181	1974	77.18		
65	Lot 9	1974	68.15		
66	Lot 113	1974	68.15		
67	Lot 18	1974	167.40		
68	Lot 232	1974	77.18		
69	Lot 19	1974	77.18		
70	Lot 22	1974	68.15		
71	Lot 35	1974	86.20		
72	Lot 17	1974	104.24		
73	Lot 32	1974	77.18		
74	Lot 48	1974	10.37		
75	Lot 54	1974	126.80		
76	Lot 181	1974	106.75		
77	Lot 56	1974	10.37		
78	Lot 88	1974	167.40		
79	Lot 105	1974	77.18		
UpNorth Unit #2					
80	Lot 128	1974	77.18		
81	Lot 137	1974	86.20		
82	Lot 149	1974	68.15		
83	Lot 167	1974	77.18		
84	Lot 169	1974	104.24		
85	Lot 170	1974	144.84		
86	Lot 189	1974	104.24		
87	Lot 203	1974	122.29		
88	Lot 205	1974	95.22		
89	Lot 208	1974	95.22		
90	Lot 209	1974	95.22		
91	Lot 210	1974	81.69		
92	Lot 212	1974	10.37		
93	Lot 219	1974	72.68		
94	Lot 232	1974	77.18		
95	Lot 233	1974	90.71		
96	Lot 235	1974	72.68		
97	Lot 236	1974	104.24		
UpNorth Unit #3					
98	Lot 241	1974	59.14		
99	Lot 242	1974	59.14		
100	Lot 245	1974	83.64		
101	Lot 246	1974	78.33		
102	Lot 278	1974	72.68		
103	Lot 296	1974	106.75		

Description of Parcel	Sec. or Blk.	Year of Sale	Total of Taxes Interest and Rent Dollars and Cents	Year of Sale
<b>VILLAGE OF FREDERICKVILLE</b>				
<b>Uppertown Unit #3</b>				
Lot 298		1974	96.73	2
Lot 299		1970	79.33	2
<b>GRAYLING TOWNSHIP</b>				
<b>Range 26 North, Range 2 West</b>				
The W/2 of all that part of SW1/4 of SE1/4 lying S of Shaw's Park less the W 150 ft thereof				
	3	1974	192.34	2
W 17 Acres of NW1/4 of NE1/4				
	4	1974	278.80	2
Comm in NE corner of SE1/4 of NW1/4, Th N 88 deg 51 min 53 sec E 65.93 ft, Th S 88 deg 51 min 53 sec W 321.66 ft, Th S 1 deg 07 min 08 sec W 659.49 ft, Th N 88 deg 58 min 40 sec E 319.5 ft, Th N 1 deg 16 min 23 sec E 658.94 ft to POB				
	7	1974	53.04	2
Comm at NE cor of SE1/4 of NW1/4, Th N 88 deg 51 min 53 sec W 963.66 ft to POB, Th N 88 deg 51 min 53 sec S W 321.9 ft, Th S 1 deg 03 min 23 sec W 659.49 ft, Th S 88 deg 49 min 40 sec W 321.16 ft, Th N 88 deg 07 min 08 sec E 660.61 ft to POB				
	7	1974	57.85	2
Comm at SE cor of SW1/4 of SE1/4, Th W 4 rds, Th N 40 rds, Th E 4 rds, Th S 40 rds to POB				
	7	1974	115.49	2
E/2 of E/2 of W/2 of SW1/4 of SW1/4				
	8	1974	135.49	2
E/2 of W/2 of E/2 of NW1/4 of NE1/4				
	9	1974	57.85	2
S/2 of N/2 of NW1/4 of NE1/4				
	12	1974	147.74	2
N/2 of N/2 of SW1/4 of NE1/4				
	12	1974	72.25	2
S/2 of NW1/4 of NE1/4				
	12	1974	72.25	2
W/2 of W/2 of S/2 of SE1/4 of NE1/4				
	12	1974	72.25	2
Sec 5 1/4 Cor of E/2 of SE1/4 of SW1/4, Th S 88 deg 51 min 53 sec E 65.93 ft, Th S 88 deg 51 min 53 sec W 321.66 ft, Th S 1 deg 07 min 08 sec W 659.49 ft, Th N 88 deg 58 min 40 sec E 319.5 ft, Th N 1 deg 16 min 23 sec E 658.94 ft to POB				
	15	1974	96.29	2
E/2 of W/2 of E/2 of SE1/4 of SW1/4 lying South of W/2				
	15	1974	57.85	2
W/2 of E/2 of W/2 of NW1/4 of NW1/4				
	15	1974	135.71	2
Comm at NW cor of SW1/4 of NE1/4 of SE1/4 for POB, Th E 32 rds, Th N 22 rds, Th E 8 rds, Th S to S line of NE1/4 of SE1/4, Th W to SW cor of NE1/4 of SE1/4 Th W/2				
	17	1974	86.65	2
SE1/4 of SE1/4				
	17	1974	91.45	2
E/2 of W/2 of E/2 of NE1/4 of NW1/4				
	18	1974	81.85	2
W/2 of E/2 of W/2 of NE1/4 of NE1/4 lying on the S side of M-72				
	18	1974	115.49	2
W/2 of E/2 of NE1/4 of SW1/4 of SW1/4				
	23	1974	206.76	2
E/2 of E/2 of NW1/4 of SE1/4 of SW1/4				
	23	1974	33.93	2
NE1/4 of SW1/4				
	24	1974	115.49	2
S/2 of SW1/4 of NW1/4				
	24	1974	245.19	2
E 1/8 of SW1/4 of NE1/4				
	31	1974	120.29	2
W/2 of E/2 of E/2 of SW1/4 of NE1/4				
	31	1974	115.49	2
E/2 of W/2 of E/2 of SW1/4 of NE1/4				
	31	1974	115.49	2
E/2 of W/2 of SE1/4 of SE1/4				
	31	1974	91.45	2
<b>GRAYLING TOWNSHIP</b>				
<b>Range 26 North, Range 2 West</b>				
Town of NE1/4 of NE1/4 of SW1/4				
	1	1974	365.29	2
Comm at NE cor of SE1/4 of SW1/4, Th S 88 deg 51 min 53 sec E 65.93 ft, Th S 88 deg 51 min 53 sec W 321.66 ft, Th S 1 deg 07 min 08 sec W 659.49 ft, Th N 88 deg 58 min 40 sec E 319.5 ft, Th N 1 deg 16 min 23 sec E 658.94 ft to POB, Th N 88 deg 51 min 53 sec W 963.66 ft to POB, Th N 88 deg 51 min 53 sec S W 321.9 ft, Th S 1 deg 03 min 23 sec W 659.49 ft, Th S 88 deg 49 min 40 sec W 321.16 ft, Th N 88 deg 07 min 08 sec E 660.61 ft to POB				
	5	1974	139.49	2
Comm at NE cor of SE1/4 of SW1/4, Th S 88 deg 51 min 53 sec E 65.93 ft, Th S 88 deg 51 min 53 sec W 321.66 ft, Th S 1 deg 07 min 08 sec W 659.49 ft, Th N 88 deg 58 min 40 sec E 319.5 ft, Th N 1 deg 16 min 23 sec E 658.94 ft to POB, Th N 88 deg 51 min 53 sec W 963.66 ft to POB, Th N 88 deg 51 min 53 sec S W 321.9 ft, Th S 1 deg 03 min 23 sec W 659.49 ft, Th S 88 deg 49 min 40 sec W 321.16 ft, Th N 88 deg 07 min 08 sec E 660.61 ft to POB				
	5	1974	139.49	2
Comm at NE cor of SE1/4 of SW1/4, Th S 88 deg 51 min 53 sec E 65.93 ft, Th S 88 deg 51 min 53 sec W 321.66 ft, Th S 1 deg 07 min 08 sec W 659.49 ft, Th N 88 deg 58 min 40 sec E 319.5 ft, Th N 1 deg 16 min 23 sec E 658.94 ft to POB, Th N 88 deg 51 min 53 sec W 963.66 ft to POB, Th N 88 deg 51 min 53 sec S W 321.9 ft, Th S 1 deg 03 min 23 sec W 659.49 ft, Th S 88 deg 49 min 40 sec W 321.16 ft, Th N 88 deg 07 min 08 sec E 660.61 ft to POB				
	5	1974	139.49	2
Comm at NE cor of SE1/4 of SW1/4, Th S 88 deg 51 min 53 sec E 65.93 ft, Th S 88 deg 51 min 53 sec W 321.66 ft, Th S 1 deg 07 min 08 sec W 659.49 ft, Th N 88 deg 58 min 40 sec E 319.5 ft, Th N 1 deg 16 min 23 sec E 658.94 ft to POB, Th N 88 deg 51 min 53 sec W 963.66 ft to POB, Th N 88 deg 51 min 53 sec S W 321.9 ft, Th S 1 deg 03 min 23 sec W 659.49 ft, Th S 88 deg 49 min 40 sec W 321.16 ft, Th N 88 deg 07 min 08 sec E 660.61 ft to POB				
	5	1974	139.49	2
Comm at NE cor of SE1/4 of SW1/4, Th S 88 deg 51 min 53 sec E 65.93				

Description	Acres	or Bk.	Years for Which Deed	Total of Taxes, Insurance, and Charges Due in Last Year	Interest Due in Last Year	Assessment Dollars and Cents
GRAYLING TOWNSHIP PLATS						
Ausable Trails						
ot 24			1974	48.24		33
Ausable Woods #2						
ot 26			1974	91.45		34
ot 27			1974	91.45		34
Ausable Woods #4						
ot 85			1974	101.07		34
Grayling Manor						
ot 19			1974	514.19		34
ot 19			1974	41.05		34
ots 20 and 21			1974	512.75		34
Brink's Park						
ot 3		2	1974	264.39		34
ot 6		2	1974	197.15		35
ot 1 and E 35 ft of Lot 2		3	1974	442.14		35
ots 3 and 4		3	1974	336.46		35
Clough's Highland Acres						
ot 73			1974	355.66		
ot 73			1974	29.28		
Grayling Mobile Estates #1						
ot 19			1974	219.56		35
ot 19			1974	243.57		
Grayling Mobile Estates #2						
ot 49			1974	214.76		
Harbor Beach						
ot 20			1974	104.41		
ot 24			1974	296.56		
Huntington Woods						
ot 6			1974	91.99		35
Karen Woods						
ots 35 and 36			1974	583.67		
ot 1			1974	129.89		
50 ft of W 80 ft of Lot 18			1974	19.97		
Madsen's Pines						
ot 12			1974	206.76		
North Park Subdivision						
ots 30, 34, and 35			1974	783.18		35
PROFESSIONAL ALLOCATION PLATS						
ot 5			1974	177.94		
Oak Acres Park						
ots 16 and 17			1974	254.61		
ot 49 exc. the N 75 ft of E S 36 1/4			1974	15.31		36
Pine Grove Subdivision						
ots 14 and 15			1974	730.34		36
ot 28			1974	43.43		
Portage Heights						
ots 11, 12, 13, and 14			1974	349.40		36
ots 41 and 42			1974	41.97		
ots 8, 9, 10, 39, 40, and 41			1974	51.56		36
ots 5 through 8			1974	94.80		
Portage Lake Park, 5th Addition						
ots 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, and 42			1974	190.86		36
ots 1 through 50, Block 16			1974	72.25		36
Portage Lake Park, 6th Addition						
ots 7, 8, 9, and 10		4	1974	29.26		36
50 ft of S 94 ft of Lots 1 through 5, and that portion of vacated Portage Lake Drive adjacent to said land on the east and extends to waters edge of Lake Margrethe			1974	336.46		36
Riverside Subdivision						
ot 31 except the S 25 ft of E 1/2			1974	278.80		
ot 48			1974	233.41		37
ot 49			1974	274.01		
Shaw's Park						
ots 28, 29, and 30			1974	240.00		
ot 37			1974	355.66		
ot 38			1974	29.20		
ot 44			1974	211.50		37
LOVELLS TOWNSHIP						
Town 27 North, Range 1 West						
SE 1/4 of NW 1/4			1974	136.43		
om at NW Cor of NW 1/4 of SW 1/4, E 1/2 SW 1/4, T 25 S 1/2 E 1/2, T 26 N 1/2 E 1/2, T 27 N 1/2 E 1/2, T 28 N 1/2 E 1/2, T 29 N 1/2 E 1/2, T 30 N 1/2 E 1/2, T 31 N 1/2 E 1/2, T 32 N 1/2 E 1/2, T 33 N 1/2 E 1/2, T 34 N 1/2 E 1/2, T 35 N 1/2 E 1/2, T 36 N 1/2 E 1/2, T 37 N 1/2 E 1/2, T 38 N 1/2 E 1/2, T 39 N 1/2 E 1/2, T 40 N 1/2 E 1/2, T 41 N 1/2 E 1/2, T 42 N 1/2 E 1/2, T 43 N 1/2 E 1/2, T 44 N 1/2 E 1/2, T 45 N 1/2 E 1/2, T 46 N 1/2 E 1/2, T 47 N 1/2 E 1/2, T 48 N 1/2 E 1/2, T 49 N 1/2 E 1/2, T 50 N 1/2 E 1/2, T 51 N 1/2 E 1/2, T 52 N 1/2 E 1/2, T 53 N 1/2 E 1/2, T 54						

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Section	Acres or Blk.	Year for which Delinquent	Total of Taxes, Interest and Charges Due	Collateral Costs	Sale No.
E FOREST TOWNSHIP PLATS					
Twain Peaks No. 1					
80	1974	64.51			W 50
91	1974	64.51			R 10
93	1974	64.51			R 10
92	1974	64.51			R 10
111	1974	64.51			592 C 10
404	1974	64.51			40
505	1974	64.51			593 S 10
226	1974	64.51			595 C 10
225	1974	64.51			40
226	1974	64.51			596 S 10
227	1974	64.51			597 C 10
333	1974	64.51			598 S 10
331	1974	64.51			599 S 10
332	1974	64.51			600 B 10
337	1974	64.51			601 B 10
339	1974	64.51			602 B 10
40	1974	64.51			603 B 10
High North #3					
252	1974	64.51			604 C 10
256	1974	64.51			605 C 10
257	1974	64.51			606 C 10
258	1974	64.51			607 C 10
259	1974	64.51			608 C 10
260	1974	64.51			609 C 10
261	1974	64.51			610 C 10
262	1974	64.51			611 C 10
263	1974	64.51			612 C 10
264	1974	64.51			613 C 10
265	1974	64.51			614 C 10
266	1974	64.51			615 C 10
267	1974	64.51			616 C 10
268	1974	64.51			617 C 10
269	1974	64.51			618 C 10
270	1974	64.51			619 C 10
271	1974	64.51			620 C 10
272	1974	64.51			621 C 10
273	1974	64.51			622 C 10
274	1974	64.51			623 C 10
275	1974	64.51			624 C 10
276	1974	64.51			625 C 10
277	1974	64.51			626 C 10
278	1974	64.51			627 C 10
279	1974	64.51			628 C 10
280	1974	64.51			629 C 10
281	1974	64.51			630 C 10
282	1974	64.51			631 C 10
283	1974	64.51			632 C 10
284	1974	64.51			633 C 10
285	1974	64.51			634 C 10
286	1974	64.51			635 C 10
287	1974	64.51			636 C 10
288	1974	64.51			637 C 10
289	1974	64.51			638 C 10
290	1974	64.51			639 C 10
291	1974	64.51			640 C 10
292	1974	64.51			641 C 10
293	1974	64.51			642 C 10
294	1974	64.51			643 C 10
295	1974	64.51			644 C 10
296	1974	64.51			645 C 10
297	1974	64.51			646 C 10
298	1974	64.51			647 C 10
299	1974	64.51			648 C 10
300	1974	64.51			649 C 10
301	1974	64.51			650 C 10
302	1974	64.51			651 C 10
SOUTH BRANCH TOWNSHIP					
R 25 North, Range 1 West					
4 of NW 1/4 of SW 1/4					
1 1/2 deg 11 1/2					
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# Notice

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# Taxes

BECAUSE THE LIST OF LANDS FOR TAX SALE NECESSARILY BE MADE UP BEFORE THE END OF THE TIME IN ORDER TO GET THEM INTO THE HANDS OF THE TAX COLLECTOR, SEVERAL OF THE LANDS LISTED IN THE CRAWFORD CATALOG WHICH TAXES HAVE BEEN PAID FOR.

IF YOUR TAXES HAVE BEEN PAID FOR YOUR LAND, IT CANNOT BE SOLD. IF YOU HAVE NOT PAID FOR YOUR LAND, IT IS LISTED FOR SALE AT ANY TIME UP UNTIL FOR THE SALE.

WE SHALL BE GLAD TO ANSWER ANY QUESTIONS YOU MAY HAVE. PLEASE CALL OR WRITE TO US HERE AT THE TREASURY OFFICE.

**Joseph V. Crawford**

**CRAWFORD CATALOG**

Sec. of Blk.  
Years for  
Which  
Delinquent

Total of Taxes  
Interest and  
Charges Due  
Within One  
Year

**TH BRANCH TOWNSHIP**  
**25 North, Range 1 West**  
ac line 981 ft to POB, Th W on  
e line 100 ft, Th N 254.8 ft to Sty  
ne of Highway M-144, Th NE1/4  
highway 105.8 ft, Th S 280.8 ft  
to POB  
32 1974 159.59  
at SW Cor of NW1/4 of NW1/4,  
W line 26.5 ft, Th NF 883.8 ft  
1, Th N along line 185 ft, Th E  
Th S 185 ft, Th W 400 ft to POB  
33 1974 139.98  
**25 North, Range 2 West**  
S/2 of NE1/4 of NW1/4  
4 1974 214.44  
E/2 of NE1/4 of NW1/4  
6 1974 116.70  
at SE Cor of SE1/4, Th N 8 rds  
9, Th W 40 rds, Th N 4 rds, Th E  
Th S 4 rds to POB  
7 1974 42.24  
NE1/4 of NW1/4  
8 1974 84.11  
at SE Cor of SW1/4 of SE1/4, Th  
it, Th W 440 ft to POB, Th W  
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to POB  
20 1974 200.46  
G/2 of NW1/4 of SW1/4  
28 1974 245.05  
8 ft E of SW Cor of NW1/4 of  
Th N 624.4 ft, Th W 69.8 ft, Th  
it, Th E 485.6 ft, Th S 643.7 ft,  
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39 1974 74.82  
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Th S 495 ft, Th W 420 ft, Th N  
to POB  
32 1974 51.54  
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Th E 263 ft to south Branch of  
the River, Th NE1/4 along River,  
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31 1974 237.70  
N/2 of NE1/4 of NW1/4  
32 1974 116.70  
4 ft S of SW Cor of NW1/4 of  
Th E 154 ft, Th S 50 ft, Th W 164  
N 50 ft to POB  
32 1974 60.85  
at NW Cor of NW1/4 of SW1/4,  
Th E 164 ft, to POB, Th N  
Th S 71 ft, Th W 130 ft, Th N 71  
to POB  
32 1974 33.06  
at NW Cor of NW1/4 of SW1/4,  
50 ft, Th S 774 ft to POB, Th E  
Th S 150 ft, Th W 249 ft, Th N  
to POB  
32 1974 98.08  
at SW Cor of NW1/4 of SW1/4,  
ing N & S 1/8 line and Co Rd 330  
990 ft to POB, Th E 330 ft, Th  
it, Th W 330 ft, Th S 295 ft to  
POB  
32 1974 312.16  
ft of SE1/4 of SE1/4 of SE1/4 of  
NW1/4  
32 1974 163.24  
10 ft E of NW Cor of NE1/4 of  
Th E 118 ft, Th S 960 ft, Th W  
Th N 660 ft to POB  
35 1974 226.39  
at NW Cor of SE1/4 of NW1/4,  
29 ft, Th S 203 ft, Th W 429 ft,  
03 ft to POB  
35 1974 24.04  
SW1/4 of SE1/4 of SW1/4  
36 1974 330.78  
**26 North, Range 1 West**  
N/2 of W/2 of NE1/4 of NW1/4  
1 1974 51.54  
S/2 of N/2 of NE1/4 of NW1/4  
1 1974 33.06  
W/2 of SW1/4 of SE1/4  
6 1974 37.58  
on left bank of AuSable River  
downstream of inter of W line  
4 of E1/2 of NE1/4 of NE1/4,  
10 ft, Th SE1/4 125 ft, Th SW1/4  
to left bank of AuSable River,  
stream 100 ft to POB  
32 1974 332.55  
NW1/4 of NE1/4 lying W of a line  
at the SW Cor of E1/2 of SW1/4  
4, Th S 88 3/8 deg 38 min E 232.7  
ft, Th N 86 deg 16 min E 532.45  
ft, Th W 210 min E 255.5 ft, Th N  
20 min E 10 N line of E1/2 of  
of NE1/4 except the N 75 ft of  
description lying E of middle  
of AuSable River  
11 1974 940.45  
part of SE1/4 of NE1/4 lying N  
NW1/4  
11 1974 214.44  
part of W/2 of NW1/4 except that  
allotted as Linger Longer Estates  
12 1974 156.59

# Important Notice Relative To Delinquent Taxes

BECAUSE THE LIST OF DELINQUENT TAX LANDS FOR TAX SALE ADVERTISING MUST NECESSARILY BE MADE UP SEVERAL MONTHS AHEAD OF TIME IN ORDER TO GET IT IN THE PRINTER'S HANDS, SEVERAL DESCRIPTIONS ARE LISTED IN THE CRAWFORD COUNTY LIST ON WHICH TAXES HAVE BEEN PAID.

**IF YOUR TAXES HAVE  
BEEN PAID YOUR LAND  
CANNOT BE SOLD IN  
THE MAY 3rd TAX SALE.**

**IF YOU HAVE NOT PAID YOUR TAXES AND  
YOUR LAND IS LISTED FOR SALE, YOU MUST  
PAY AT ANY TIME UP UNTIL FRIDAY, APRIL 30TH.**

**OTHER QUESTIONS YOU MAY HAVE ABOUT THE  
TAX SALE HERE AT THE TREASURER'S OFFICE.**

**Joseph V. Wakeley**  
CRAWFORD COUNTY TREASURER

1998, 1999, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027, 2028, 2029, 2030, 2031, 2032, 2033, 2034, 2035, 2036, 2037, 2038, 2039, 2040, 2041, 2042, 2043, 2044, 2045, 2046, 2047, 2048, 2049, 2050, 2051, 2052, 2053, 2054, 2055, 2056, 2057, 2058, 2059, 2060, 2061, 2062, 2063, 2064, 2065, 2066, 2067, 2068, 2069, 2070, 2071, 2072, 2073, 2074, 2075, 2076, 2077, 2078, 2079, 2080, 2081, 2082, 2083, 2084, 2085, 2086, 2087, 2088, 2089, 2090, 2091, 2092, 2093, 2094, 2095, 2096, 2097, 2098, 2099, 2100, 2101, 2102, 2103, 2104, 2105, 2106, 2107, 2108, 2109, 2110, 2111, 2112, 2113, 2114, 2115, 2116, 2117, 2118, 2119, 2120, 2121, 2122, 2123, 2124, 2125, 2126, 2127, 2128, 2129, 2130, 2131, 2132, 2133, 2134, 2135, 2136, 2137, 2138, 2139, 2140, 2141, 2142, 2143, 2144, 2145, 2146, 2147, 2148, 2149, 2150, 2151, 2152, 2153, 2154, 2155, 2156, 2157, 2158, 2159, 2160, 2161, 2162, 2163, 2164, 2165, 2166, 2167, 2168, 2169, 2170, 2171, 2172, 2173, 2174, 2175, 2176, 2177, 2178, 2179, 2180, 2181, 2182, 2183, 2184, 2185, 2186, 2187, 2188, 2189, 2190, 2191, 2192, 2193, 2194, 2195, 2196, 2197, 2198, 2199, 2200, 2201, 2202, 2203, 2204, 2205, 2206, 2207, 2208, 2209, 2210, 2211, 2212, 2213, 2214, 2215, 2216, 2217, 2218, 2219, 2220, 2221, 2222, 2223, 2224, 2225, 2226, 2227, 2228, 2229, 2230, 2231, 2232, 2233, 2234, 2235, 2236, 2237, 2238, 2239, 2240, 2241, 2242, 2243, 2244, 2245, 2246, 2247, 2248, 2249, 2250, 2251, 2252, 2253, 2254, 2255, 2256, 2257, 2258, 2259, 2260, 2261, 2262, 2263, 2264, 2265, 2266, 2267, 2268, 2269, 2270, 2271, 2272, 2273, 2274, 2275, 2276, 2277, 2278, 2279, 2280, 2281, 2282, 2283, 2284, 2285, 2286, 2287, 2288, 2289, 2290, 2291, 2292, 2293, 2294, 2295, 2296, 2297, 2298, 2299, 2300, 2301, 2302, 2303, 2304, 2305, 2306, 2307, 2308, 2309, 2310, 2311, 2312, 2313, 2314, 2315, 2316, 2317, 2318, 2319, 2320, 2321, 2322, 2323, 2324, 2325, 2326, 2327, 2328, 2329, 2330, 2331, 2332, 2333, 2334, 2335, 2336, 2337, 2338, 2339, 2340, 2341, 2342, 2343, 2344, 2345, 2346, 2347, 2348, 2349, 2350, 2351, 2352, 2353, 2354, 2355, 2356, 2357, 2358, 2359, 2360, 2361, 2362, 2363, 2364, 2365, 2366, 2367, 2368, 2369, 2370, 2371, 2372, 2373, 2374, 2375, 2376, 2377, 2378, 2379, 2380, 2381, 2382, 2383, 2384, 2385, 2386, 2387, 2388, 2389, 2390, 2391, 2392, 2393, 2394, 2395, 2396, 2397, 2398, 2399, 2400, 2401, 2402, 2403, 2404, 2405, 2406, 2407, 2408, 2409, 2410, 2411, 2412, 2413, 2414, 2415, 2416, 2417, 2418, 2419, 2420, 2421, 2422, 2423, 2424, 2425, 2426, 2427, 2428, 2429, 2430, 2431, 2432, 2433, 2434, 2435, 2436, 2437, 2438, 2439, 2440, 2441, 2442, 2443, 2444, 2445, 2446, 2447, 2448, 2449, 2450, 2451, 2452, 2453, 2454, 2455, 2456, 2457, 2458, 2459, 2460, 2461, 2462, 2463, 2464, 2465, 2466, 2467, 2468, 2469, 2470, 2471, 2472, 2473, 2474, 2475, 2476, 2477, 2478, 2479, 2480, 2481, 2482, 2483, 2484, 2485, 2486, 2487, 2488, 2489, 2490, 2491, 2492, 2493, 2494, 2495, 2496, 2497, 2498, 2499, 2500, 2501, 2502, 2503, 2504, 2505, 2506, 2507, 2508, 2509, 2510, 2511, 2512, 2513, 2514, 2515, 2516, 2517, 2518, 2519, 2520, 2521, 2522, 2523, 2524, 2525, 2526, 2527, 2528, 2529, 2530, 2531, 2532, 2533, 2534, 2535, 2536, 2537, 2538, 2539, 2540, 2541, 2542, 2543, 2544, 2545, 2546, 2547, 2548, 2549, 2550, 2551, 2552, 2553, 2554, 2555, 2556, 2557, 2558, 2559, 2560, 2561, 2562, 2563, 2564, 2565, 2566, 2567, 2568, 2569, 2570, 2571, 2572, 2573, 2574, 2575, 2576, 2577, 2578, 2579, 2580, 2581, 2582, 2583, 2584, 2585, 2586, 2587, 2588, 2589, 2590, 2591, 2592, 2593, 2594, 2595, 2596, 2597, 2598, 2599, 2600, 2601, 2602, 2603, 2604, 2605, 2606, 2607, 2608, 2609, 2610, 2611, 2612, 2613, 2614, 2615, 2616, 2617, 2618, 2619, 2620, 2621, 2622, 2623, 2624, 2625, 2626, 2627, 2628, 2629, 2630, 2631, 2632, 2633, 2634, 2635, 2636, 2637, 2638, 2639, 2640, 2641, 2642, 2643, 2644, 2645, 2646, 2647, 2648, 2649, 2650, 2651, 2652, 2653, 2654, 2655, 2656, 2657, 2658, 2659, 2660, 2661, 2662, 2663, 2664, 2665, 2666, 2667, 2668, 2669, 2670, 2671, 2672, 2673, 2674, 2675, 2676, 2677, 2678, 2679, 26

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# Grayling Township Board

13 Crawford County Avalanche

Thursday, March 10, 1977

## Regular Meeting — February 8, 1977

Members present: Fowler, Gardiner, Hallett, Wieland, Nick Evers, Larry Mattis.

The meeting was called to order at 7:30 p.m. The minutes of the regular meeting of 1-4-77 and the special meeting of 2-2-77 were approved as written.

The Treasurer's report was accepted. The final plan of Kingwood North No. 1 was approved subject to restrictions stipulated by District Health Department #1.

Correspondence was received from the Dept. of the Army, Corp of Engineers, relative to a new schedule of processing fees for permit programs.

Correspondence from the Mich. Dept. of Labor, Bureau of Construction Codes, relative to a survey of the building permits issued for calendar year 1976 was received.

A copy of the Mich. Energy Code was received from the Dept. of Labor, Construction Code Commission.

Notices were received from the Mich. Public Service Commission relative to hearings scheduled on the following: Consolidated Gas Co. - conservation of natural gas, Consolidated Gas Co. - purchased gas adjustment clause, and Top O' Mich. Rural Electric Co. - purchased power adjustment cost.

Requests from NEMCOG has been received on the following: the number of building permits issued by category since their origin and comments on the HUD Grant for the Crawford County Community Housing Improvements project.

Correspondence was received from the Revenue Sharing Advisory Service on the following: A Guide to the Anti-Recession Fiscal Aid Program, Revenue Sharing Bulletin and Revenue Sharing Handbook.

Correspondence was received relative to violations of Sec. 2.10 (automobile Trailer Coaches) of the Zoning Ordinance, around Lake Margrethe. Legal Council will be obtained on the Board's enforcing policy.

A memo from Commissioner Harland relative to a meeting on an Animal Control site was received.

Fowler reported the Compactor Site would open on 2-9-77 under the winter schedule.

Correspondence relative to membership in the Mich. Assessors Association was received and reviewed.

The 1976 Report Summary of the Grayling Fire Department was received from Fire Chief Joseph White indicating 75 calls were answered in 1976 for a total of 1,245 man hours.

The Liquor Enforcement inspection forms completed by Constable Harland were reviewed.

The Report of Assessing Functions was reviewed and placed on file.

The Report relative to part time work in the Assessing Department and an internship program through Kirtland Community College was reviewed.

A request for a leave of absence from June 14th through August 14th received from Mrs. Bergey was approved.

Fowler reported CETA Funds have been requested for employment. Other agencies will be pursued for possible funds.

Nick Evers met to discuss the request received from NEMCOG relative to the survey of building permits.

The tentative factor received from the County Equalization Director has been slightly revised. Fowler gave a brief resume relative to meetings held, reports reviewed and revised.

A plan received by the DNR for division and disposition of land located in the SE 1/4 of Sec. 6, T 26 N, R 3 W, to the County, City and Township was reviewed. Several recommendations were made to this division.

Neivin Seelye has been hired to operate the Compactor Site. A few minor corrections still have to be made.

The Hearing on the Facility Planning Study for the Township and City has been scheduled for March 15th at the Joseph Stripe

## City Council Proceedings

Regular Meeting of the City Council held Monday, February 28, 1977 at 7:30 p.m.

The meeting was called to order by Mayor McEvers at 7:38 p.m. Members present: Johnson, McEvers, Hanson. Members absent: Goinick, Thompson. Also in attendance: Jerry W. Morford, City Manager, Allen V. Schreiner, City Treasurer, Jackie Bonkowski, Osego Herald Times, Rod Denley, Crawford County Avalanche, Don Stephens and Don Hale, Lions Club and Don Sorenson.

Motion by Hanson, supported by Johnson that the minutes of the meeting of February 14, 1977, be approved as presented. Ayes: 3, Nays: 0, Absent: 2, motion carried.

There were no comments from citizens.

Communications were received from:

Chamber of Commerce re: paid members.

Mary Harland re: Animal control meeting with County committee.

Jean Rizer re: Twenty stages rally on May 21-22, 1977.

NEMCOG re: Criminal justice advisory committee meeting.

Ron Fraser re: Possible re-zoning. Motion by McEvers, supported by Johnson that a public hearing be set for March 28, 1977 to hear a petition for rezoning from R-2 to C-2 on property described as: A part of the W 1/2 of the NE 1/4 of Section 18, T26N R3W, City of Grayling, Crawford County, Michigan commencing at the E 1/4 corner of said Section 18; thence S89°21'W along the E & W 1/4 line, 1316.65 feet; thence S2°02'W along the 1/8 line, 326.63 feet to the point of beginning; thence N89°25'E, 658.12 feet; thence S2°02'W, 817.21 feet; thence S89°37'W, 657.7 feet; thence N2°02'E, 814.87 feet to the point of beginning and contains 12.31 acres of land. Ayes: 3, Nays: 0, Absent: 2, motion carried.

Old Business:

Mr. Morford reported that he has had no affirmative response by persons he had contacted about serving on the Grayling Housing Commission. Council directed him to pursue the matter and report at a later meeting.

Mr. Morford reported on the I.C.E. program.

A report was given on collection of outstanding invoices due the city.

The water system improvements project is well along toward completion. The tank is complete with the exception of painting which must wait until warmer weather.

Mr. Morford reported on the City-Township sewer study. There will be a council study session March 7, 1977 with the city engineers.

Mr. Morford will travel to Lansing on Thursday, March 3, to attend a meeting of the State Health Department of Michigan Safe Water Act Rules Committee, of which he is a member.

Discussion was held on the sale of parking meter equipment. Quite a number of the outstanding parking tickets have been paid.

A discussion was held on water/sewer rate increases necessary due to a 125% increase in electric power costs. Motion by McEvers, supported by Hanson that a public hearing be set for March 14, 1977 to hear comments concerning proposed new water rates and that such rates be published with the advertisement. Ayes: 3, Nays: 0, Absent: 2, motion carried.

New Business:

Mr. Stevens and Mr. Hale appeared to discuss with Council possible use of the City Park for the Lions Club carnival on July 19-21, 1977. They presented to the council the plan to have the carnival in the park rather than in the Mall as was done last year. They would need water, garbage containers and possibly some electric service. They stated that the Lions Club would see that the park was cleaned up after the carnival. Discussion was held on the assets and liabilities of the park for this sort of function. Mr. Morford will work with the Lions Club to try to find a usable site.

Mr. Morford presented to council a tentative street construction program for 1977 and noted that added data would be presented as soon as possible and that possible Federal funding would be explored further while engineering is being completed on the tentative plans for Lake Street and the north storm drain projects.

Reports of Councilmen:

Mr. Hanson presented to council a letter from the Corp of Engineers relative to conditions at the local airport.

Mr. McEvers asked if council would be interested in having a "town meeting" in conjunction with Michigan Week.

Reports of City Manager:

Mr. Morford reported on:

MML Legislative Conference.

Grayling Housing Commission minutes.

Annual report of NEMCOG.

March 10, 1977 NEMCOG meeting.

Upper Great Lakes meeting March 1, 1977.

Liability insurance program through National League of Cities.

Letter from Robert Smock, Jr. of Youth Services Bureau.

Council recessed at 9:14 p.m. to discuss pending legal matters; reconvened at 9:44 p.m.

Adjournment:

Motion by McEvers, supported by Hanson, that the meeting be adjourned. Ayes: 3, Nays: 0, Absent: 2, motion carried.

Meeting adjourned at 9:50 p.m.

Jerry W. Morford, City Manager & Clerk

## Auditorium at 7:00 p.m.

Fowler gave a brief report of P. A. 293 of 1976 - the effect of the \$4000 allowance for normal repairs and maintenance expenditures for three consecutive years in determining true cash value of property could have.

Regular meeting recessed at 10:40 p.m. to go into executive session to discuss negotiations for the Airport.

Regular meeting resumed at 10:55 p.m. Fringe benefits were discussed relative to elected and appointed officials and hired employees.

Vouchers 2095 through 2120 in the amount of \$3556.20 were approved for payment.

Meeting adjourned.

Elizabeth H. Wieland, Clerk

## from HISTORY'S SCRAPBOOK

DATES AND EVENTS FROM YESTERYEARS

March 11, 1861 — Delegates to the Confederate Congress meeting at Montgomery, Alabama, adopt the constitution of the Confederacy.

March 12, 1912 — Captain Albert Barry performs the first parachute jump from an airplane over Jefferson Barracks, Missouri.

March 13, 1868 — Impeachment proceedings against President Andrew Johnson get underway in the Senate.

March 14, 1743 — The first town meeting — later to become

famous throughout New England — is held at Faneuil Hall, Boston.

March 15, 1820 — Maine is admitted into the Union as the 23rd state.

March 16, 1802 — An act of Congress authorizes the establishment of the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, New York.

March 17, 1941 — The National Gallery of Art in Washington is opened by President Franklin D. Roosevelt.

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# NOTICE OF ANNUAL TOWNSHIP MEETINGS

Notice is Hereby Given That the Annual Township Meetings of the Electors of the TOWNSHIPS LISTED BELOW, COUNTY OF CRAWFORD State of Mich., will be held at the places indicated below, on

Saturday, April 2nd

— 1977 —

TAKE NOTICE — Though laws enacted by the 1944 Michigan Legislature cancel the election in even-numbered years, the law stipulates that the regular Annual Township Meeting shall be held each year.

Some of the requirements set forth by statute concerning the Annual Township Meeting are:

SECTION 3007 — The electors of each election district in each township shall meet in the afternoon or evening at the polling place ... and there transact such business as is usually transacted at Township meeting, by viva voce vote.

SECTION 1015 — All accounts audited by such (township) board shall be ... produced at the next Annual township Meeting and there ready by him (the clerk) if the same shall be required by the meeting.

WHO MAY VOTE — Section 1050: Each inhabitant of any township, having the qualifications of an elector as specified in the constitution of this state, and no other person, shall have a right to vote on all matters and questions before any township meeting.

CONDUCT OF MEETING — Section 1032 ... The Supervisor, if present, shall be the moderator of the meeting, and if he shall not be present ... the meeting ... may elect a moderator.

SECTION 1033 — He shall decide all questions of order and make public declarations of all votes passed, and when any vote so declared by him shall immediately upon such declaration by him be questioned by seven (7) or more voters, shall make the vote certain by polling the votes, or by dividing the meeting, unless the township shall, by a previous vote, or by their by-laws have otherwise provided.

SECTION 1034 — No person shall address the meeting before permission obtained of the moderator, nor while any person is speaking by his permission; and all persons at such meeting shall be silent at the request of the moderator.

SECTION 1035 — If ... any person shall conduct himself in a disorderly manner, and after notice from the moderator shall persist therein, the moderator may order him to withdraw ... and on his refusal, may order the constables, or any other persons, to take him into custody until the meeting is adjourned.

SECTION 1036 — Any person who shall refuse to withdraw on being ordered by the moderator to do so ... shall, for each such offense, forfeit a sum not exceeding twenty dollars.

CHALLENGED VOTERS — Section 1050: When any persons claiming the right to vote shall be challenged by a voter, the moderator shall proceed in the same manner as on challenges at the election of township officers.

## IN ADDITION—

At such time in addition to other regular business and in accordance with the law, a budget hearing covering proposed expenditures and estimated revenues of the Township shall be submitted for consideration. [General Fund, Federal Revenue Sharing Fund, Liquor Fund and Anti-Recession Fund].

## GRAYLING Township

AT 103 JAMES ST., CITY HALL  
At 1:00 p.m.  
[Signed]  
ELIZABETH WIELAND  
Clerk

## FREDERIC Township

AT TOWNSHIP HALL  
At 1:00 p.m.  
[Signed]  
MILDRED HARMER  
Clerk

## MAPLE FOREST Township

AT TOWNSHIP HALL  
At 7:30 p.m.  
[Signed]  
SUSAN M. KEENE  
Clerk

## BEAVER CREEK Township

AT TOWNSHIP HALL  
At 1:00 p.m.  
[Signed]  
VIRGINIA WILLIKIN  
Clerk

## LOVELLS Township

AT TOWNSHIP HALL  
At 1:00 p.m.  
[Signed]  
HELEN SPENCER  
Clerk

## SOUTH BRANCH Township

AT TOWNSHIP HALL  
At 1:00 p.m.  
[Signed]  
MARY M. MOLLON  
Clerk

Sale No.	Description of Parcel	Sec. or Blk.	Years for Which Delinquent	Total of Taxes, Interest and Penalties Due to Said Years	Sale No.	Description of Parcel	Sec. or Blk.	Years for Which Delinquent	Total of Taxes, Interest and Penalties Due to Said Years
<b>SOUTH BRANCH TOWNSHIP</b>					<b>CITY OF GRAYLING</b>				
<b>1974</b>					<b>Refuge's Addition</b>				
A parcel of land 300 ft M/L by 400 ft between Lots 6 and 9 of said subdivision					694	W/2 of Lots 11 and 12	11	1974	421.51
19	E/2 of NW/4, and NW/4 of NW/4 less the N 30 ft of W 435 ft and S 495 ft of N 825 ft of W 524 ft	12	1974	206.12	695	Lots 11 and 12	15	1974	496.52
20	SW/4 of NW/4 less the S 40 rods of W 22 rods, and the E 8 rods of the W 38 rods of S 20 rods	26	1974	512.28	696	Lot 5	17	1974	254.91
<b>SOUTH BRANCH TOWNSHIP PLATS</b>					697	Lots 5 and 6	20	1974	786.06
<b>Ausable Valley</b>					698	Lot 7	20	1974	289.35
621	Lots 3, 4, and 5	1974	74.82		699	Lot 2	21	1974	541.49
622	Lot 35	1974	284.24		700	Lot 7	24	1974	990.29
623	Lot 2	1974	121.36		701	Lots 7, 8 and 9	28	1974	456.78
<b>Indian Glens of the Ausable</b>					702	SE 1/2 of Lot 3	29	1974	30.80
624	Lot 137	1974	60.85		703	Lots 7 and 8, Blk 28 Refuge's Addition and Fil Lot 10, Blk 14 Hadley's 2nd Addition	29	1974	330.27
625	Lot 142	1974	60.85		704	Lot 10	32	1974	529.35
<b>Ber Mar Woods #1</b>					<b>Hadley's Amended</b>				
626	Lot 16	1974	46.89		705	Lot 4	1	1974	470.02
627	Lot 17	1974	46.89		706	Lot 10	1	1974	470.02
628	Lot 18	1974	46.89		707	E 67 ft of Lot 11 and E 72 ft of Lot 12	2	1974	154.69
629	Lot 27	1974	74.82		708	W 53 ft of Lot 11 and W 48 ft of Lot 12	4	1974	424.84
<b>Jonasess Subdivision</b>					709	Fil Lot 11 Block 4 Hadley's Addition and Fil Lot 11, Block 4 Hadley's 2nd Addition	1	1974	250.47
630	Lot 29	1974	219.09		710	Lots 9 and 10	5	1974	169.84
631	Lot 49	1974	433.16		711	Lot 11	6	1974	405.41
<b>Linger Longer Estates</b>					712	Lot 4	8	1974	306.56
632	Lot 1	1974	74.82		<b>Hadley's Second Addition</b>				
633	Lot 2	1974	74.82		713	Lots 11 and 12	2	1974	502.30
634	Lot 3	1974	74.82		714	Lot 5	5	1974	220.15
635	Lot 4	1974	74.82		<b>Hadley's Third Addition</b>				
636	Lot 5	1974	74.82		715	Comm at NE Cor Blk 1, Th W 180 ft for POB, Th S 120 ft, Th W 60 ft, Th N 120 ft, Th E 60 ft to POB and S 33 ft of Vilas Vac (Former Lot 4)	1	1974	211.05
637	Lot 6	1974	79.46		716	Lot 10	1	1974	340.81
638	Lot 8	1974	163.24		717	Reg 120 ft W of SE Cor Blk 2, Th N 120 ft, Th W 150 ft, Th S 120 ft, Th E 150 ft to POB (Formerly 1/2 of Lot 8 & Lots 9 and 10) Also 33 ft of vacated Vilas Street	2	1974	547.51
639	Lot 12	1974	200.46		<b>Martha M. Brinks Addition</b>				
640	Lot 13	1974	167.90		718	Comm 66 ft S of NW Cor Lot 4, Blk 4, Th S 75 ft, Th E to center of Lot, Th N 75 ft, Th W to POB	4	1974	384.52
641	Livingstone Acres	1974	149.27		719	N 1/2 of W 1/2 of Lot 8	4	1974	463.59
<b>McNamara Valley No. 2</b>					720	E 1/2 of NE 1/4 of Lot 7	4	1974	376.21
642	S 1/2 of Lot 37	1974	167.90		721	S 1/2 of N 1/2 of Lot 16	4	1974	160.04
<b>Moon River Heights</b>					722	S 1/2 of Lots 5 and 6	5	1974	282.73
643	S 30 ft of Lot 10	1974	896.56		<b>Madsen's Addition</b>				
<b>Northwest Village</b>					723	Lot 6	1	1974	206.25
644	Lot 7	1974	135.31		724	Comm 567 ft E & 380 ft N of 1/8 post of sections 7 & 8, Th E 196 ft to POB, Th E 100 ft, Th N 154 ft, Th W 100 ft, Th S 154 ft to POB	3	1974	256.99
<b>Pattif's Timbers</b>					<b>Salling Hanson Company</b>				
645	Lot 13	1974	292.59		725	W 1/2 of Lot 12	2	1974	166.50
<b>Red Dog</b>					<b>Barnes Addition</b>				
646	Lot 20	1974	144.52		726	E 1/4 of Lot 7, Th E 196 ft to POB, Th E 100 ft, Th N 154 ft, Th W 100 ft, Th S 154 ft to POB	3	1974	256.99
<b>Red Pine Acres</b>					<b>Hadley's Amended</b>				
647	Lot 15	1974	112.04		727	SE 1/2 of Lot 9 and Lot 10	2	1974	456.78
<b>Riverside</b>					728	E 1/2 of Lots 11 and 12 and 40 ft by 60 ft of Lot 10	3	1974	441.83
648	The N 100 ft of Lot 11	1974	264.24		<b>Goodale's Addition</b>				
<b>South Branch Ranch Unit #1</b>					729	Comm at NW Cor of Section 17, T26N R3W, Th S 1 deg 53 min W 1182 ft, Th S 88 deg 05 min E 130 ft to POB, Th S 88 deg 05 min E 213 ft to POB, Th S 88 deg 05 min E 110 ft, Th N 88 deg 05 min W 173 ft, Th N 1 deg 53 min E 30 ft to POB	3	1974	811.83
649	Lot 2	1974	60.85		<b>Meets and Bounds</b>				
650	Lot 3	1974	60.85		730	Comm 66 ft S of NW Cor Lot 7, Block 4 of Hadley's Third Addition, Th S 1 deg 15 min E 130 ft to POB, Th S 1 deg 15 min E 130 ft to POB, Th S 1 deg 15 min E 130 ft to POB, Th S 1 deg 15 min E 130 ft to POB	3	1974	811.83
651	Lot 4	1974	60.85		<b>Annex to the City of Grayling</b>				
652	Lot 5	1974	60.85		731	Comm at NW Cor of Section 17, T26N R3W, Th S 1 deg 53 min W 1182 ft, Th S 88 deg 05 min E 130 ft to POB, Th S 88 deg 05 min E 213 ft to POB, Th S 88 deg 05 min E 110 ft, Th N 88 deg 05 min W 173 ft, Th N 1 deg 53 min E 30 ft to POB	3	1974	811.83
653	Lot 19	1974	60.85		<b>Refuge's Addition</b>				
654	Lot 20	1974	70.15		732	SE 1/2 of Lot 9 and Lot 10	2	1974	456.78
655	Lot 22	1974	60.85		733	Comm at NW Cor of Section 17, T26N R3W, Th S 1 deg 53 min W 1182 ft, Th S 88 deg 05 min E 130 ft to POB, Th S 88 deg 05 min E 213 ft to POB, Th S 88 deg 05 min E 110 ft, Th N 88 deg 05 min W 173 ft, Th N 1 deg 53 min E 30 ft to POB	3	1974	811.83
656	Lot 23	1974	60.85		<b>Refuge's Addition</b>				
657	Lot 24	1974	60.85		734	SE 1/2 of Lot 9 and Lot 10	2	1974	456.78
658	Lot 25	1974	60.85		735	Comm at NW Cor of Section 17, T26N R3W, Th S 1 deg 53 min W 1182 ft, Th S 88 deg 05 min E 130 ft to POB, Th S 88 deg 05 min E 213 ft to POB, Th S 88 deg 05 min E 110 ft, Th N 88 deg 05 min W 173 ft, Th N 1 deg 53 min E 30 ft to POB	3	1974	811.83
659	Lot 26	1974	60.85		<b>Refuge's Addition</b>				
660	Lot 27	1974	60.85		736	SE 1/2 of Lot 9 and Lot 10	2	1974	456.78
661	Lot 28	1974	60.85		737	Comm at NW Cor of Section 17, T26N R3W, Th S 1 deg 53 min W 1182 ft, Th S 88 deg 05 min E 130 ft to POB, Th S 88 deg 05 min E 213 ft to POB, Th S 88 deg 05 min E 110 ft, Th N 88 deg 05 min W 173 ft, Th N 1 deg 53 min E 30 ft to POB	3	1974	811.83
662	Lot 29	1974	60.85		<b>Refuge's Addition</b>				
663	Lot 30	1974	60.85		738	SE 1/2 of Lot 9 and Lot 10	2	1974	456.78
664	Lot 31	1974	60.85		739	Comm at NW Cor of Section 17, T26N R3W, Th S 1 deg 53 min W 1182 ft, Th S 88 deg 05 min E 130 ft to POB, Th S 88 deg 05 min E 213 ft to POB, Th S 88 deg 05 min E 110 ft, Th N 88 deg 05 min W 173 ft, Th N 1 deg 53 min E 30 ft to POB	3	1974	811.83
665	Lot 32	1974	60.85		<b>Refuge's Addition</b>				
666	Lot 33	1974	60.85		740	SE 1/2 of Lot 9 and Lot 10	2	1974	456.78
667	Lot 34	1974	60.85		741	Comm at NW Cor of Section 17, T26N R3W, Th S 1 deg 53 min W 1182 ft, Th S 88 deg 05 min E 130 ft to POB, Th S 88 deg 05 min E 213 ft to POB, Th S 88 deg 05 min E 110 ft, Th N 88 deg 05 min W 173 ft, Th N 1 deg 53 min E 30 ft to POB	3	1974	811.83
668	Lot 35	1974	60.85		<b>Refuge's Addition</b>				
669	Lot 36	1974	60.85		742	SE 1/2 of Lot 9 and Lot 10	2	1974	456.78
670	Lot 37	1974	60.85		743	Comm at NW Cor of Section 17, T26N R3W, Th S 1 deg 53 min W 1182 ft, Th S 88 deg 05 min E 130 ft to POB, Th S 88 deg 05 min E 213 ft to POB, Th S 88 deg 05 min E 110 ft, Th N 88 deg 05 min W 173 ft, Th N 1 deg 53 min E 30 ft to POB	3	1974	811.83
671	Lot 38	1974	60.85		<b>Refuge's Addition</b>				
672	Lot 39	1974	60.85		744	SE 1/2 of Lot 9 and Lot 10	2	1974	456.78
673	Lot 40	1974	60.85		745	Comm at NW Cor of Section 17, T26N R3W, Th S 1 deg 53 min W 1182 ft, Th S 88 deg 05 min E 130 ft to POB, Th S 88 deg 05 min E 213 ft to POB, Th S 88 deg 05 min E 110 ft, Th N 88 deg 05 min W 173 ft, Th N 1 deg 53 min E 30 ft to POB	3	1974	811.83
674	Lot 41	1974	60.85		<b>Refuge's Addition</b>				
675	Lot 42	1974	60.85		746	SE 1/2 of Lot 9 and Lot 10	2	1974	456.78
676	Lot 43	1974	60.85		747	Comm at NW Cor of Section 17, T26N R3W, Th S 1 deg 53 min W 1182 ft, Th S 88 deg 05 min E 130 ft to POB, Th S 88 deg 05 min E 213 ft to POB, Th S 88 deg 05 min E 110 ft, Th N 88 deg 05 min W 173 ft, Th N 1 deg 53 min E 30 ft to POB	3	1974	811.83
677	Lot 44	1974	60.85		<b>Refuge's Addition</b>				
678	Lot 45	1974	60.85		748	SE 1/2 of Lot 9 and Lot 10	2	1974	456.78
679	Lot 46	1974	60.85		749	Comm at NW Cor of Section 17, T26N R3W, Th S 1 deg 53 min W 1182 ft, Th S 88 deg 05 min E 130 ft to POB, Th S 88 deg 05 min E 213 ft to POB, Th S 88 deg 05 min E 110 ft, Th N 88 deg 05 min W 173 ft, Th N 1 deg 53 min E 30 ft to POB	3	1974	811.83
680	Lot 47	1974	60.85		<b>Refuge's Addition</b>				
681	Lot 48	1974	60.85		750	SE 1/2 of Lot 9 and Lot 10	2	1974	456.78
682	Lot 49	1974	60.85		751	Comm at NW Cor of Section 17, T26N R3W, Th S 1 deg 53 min W 1182 ft, Th S 88 deg 05 min E 130 ft to POB, Th S 88 deg 05 min E 213 ft to POB, Th S 88 deg 05 min E 110 ft, Th N 88 deg 05 min W 173 ft, Th N 1 deg 53 min E 30 ft to POB	3	1974	811.83
683	Lot 50	1974	60.85		<b>Refuge's Addition</b>				
684	Lot 51	1974	60.85		752	SE 1/2 of Lot 9 and Lot 10	2	1974	456.78
685	Lot 52	1974	60.85		753	Comm at NW Cor of Section 17, T26N R3W, Th S 1 deg 53 min W 1182 ft, Th S 88 deg 05 min E 130 ft to POB, Th S 88 deg 05 min E 213 ft to POB, Th S 88 deg 05 min E 110 ft, Th N 88 deg 05 min W 173 ft, Th N 1 deg 53 min E 30 ft to POB	3	1974	811.83
686	Lot 53	1974	60.85		<b>Refuge's Addition</b>				
687	Lot 54	1974	60.85		754	SE 1/2 of Lot 9 and Lot 10	2	1974	456.78
688	Lot 55	1974	60.85		755	Comm at NW Cor of Section 17, T26N R3W, Th S 1 deg 53 min W 1182 ft, Th S 88 deg 05 min E 130 ft to POB, Th S 88 deg 05 min E 213 ft to POB, Th S 88 deg 05 min E 110 ft, Th N 88 deg 05 min W 173 ft, Th N 1 deg 53 min E 30 ft to POB	3	1974	811.83
689	Lot 56	1974	60.85		<b>Refuge's Addition</b>				
690	Lot 57	1974	60.85		756	SE 1/2 of Lot 9 and Lot 10	2	1974	456.78
691	Lot 58	1974	60.85		757	Comm at NW Cor of Section 17, T26N R3W, Th S 1 deg 53 min W 1182 ft, Th S 88 deg 05 min E 130 ft to POB, Th S 88 deg 05 min E 213 ft to POB, Th S 88 deg 05 min E 110 ft, Th N 88 deg 05 min W 173 ft, Th N 1 deg 53 min E 30 ft to POB	3	1974	811.83
692	Lot 59	1974	60.85		<b>Refuge's Addition</b>				
693	Lot 60	1974	60.85		758	SE 1/2 of Lot 9 and Lot 10	2	1974	456.78
694	Lot 61	1974	60.85		759	Comm at NW Cor of Section 17, T26N R3W, Th S 1 deg 53 min W 1182 ft, Th S 88 deg 05 min E 130 ft to POB, Th S 88 deg 05 min E 213 ft to POB, Th S 88 deg 05 min E 110 ft, Th N 88 deg 05 min W 173 ft, Th N 1 deg 53 min E 30 ft to POB	3	1974	811.83
695	Lot 62	1974	60.85		<b>Refuge's Addition</b>				
696	Lot 63	1974	60.85		760	SE 1/2 of Lot 9 and Lot 10	2	1974	456.78
697	Lot 64	1974	60.85		761	Comm at NW Cor of Section 17, T26N R3W, Th S 1 deg 53 min W 1182 ft, Th S 88 deg 05 min E 130 ft to POB, Th S 88 deg 05 min E 213 ft to POB, Th S 88 deg 05 min E 110 ft, Th N 88 deg 05 min W 173 ft, Th N 1 deg 53 min E 30 ft to POB	3	1974	811.83
698	Lot 65	1974	60.85		<b>Refuge's Addition</b>				
699	Lot 66	1974	60.85		762	SE 1/2 of Lot 9 and Lot 10	2	1974	456.78
700	Lot 67	1974	60.85		763	Comm at NW Cor of Section 17, T26N R3W, Th S 1 deg 53 min W 1182 ft, Th S 88 deg 05 min E 130 ft to POB, Th S 88 deg 05 min E 213 ft to POB, Th S 88 deg 05 min E 110 ft, Th N 88 deg 05 min W 173 ft, Th N 1 deg 53 min E 30 ft to POB	3	1974	811.83
701	Lot 68	1974	60.85		<b>Refuge's Addition</b>				
702	Lot 69	1974	60.85		764	SE 1/2 of Lot 9 and Lot 10	2	1974	456.78
703	Lot 70	1974	60.85		765	Comm at NW Cor of Section 17, T26N R3W, Th S 1 deg 53 min W 1182 ft, Th S 88 deg 05 min E 130 ft to POB, Th S 88 deg 05 min E 213 ft to POB, Th S 88 deg 05 min E 110 ft, Th N 88 deg 05 min W 173 ft, Th N 1 deg 53 min E 30 ft to POB	3	1974	811.83
704	Lot 71	1974	60.85		<b>Refuge's Addition</b>				
705	Lot 72	1974	60.85		766	SE 1/2 of Lot 9 and Lot 10	2	1974	456.78
706	Lot 73	1974	60.85		767	Comm at NW Cor of Section 17, T26N R3W, Th S 1 deg 53 min W 1182 ft, Th S 88 deg 05 min E 130 ft to POB, Th S 88 deg 05 min E 213 ft to POB, Th S 88 deg 05 min E 110 ft, Th N 88 deg 05 min W 173 ft, Th N 1 deg 53 min E 30 ft to POB	3	1974	811.83
707	Lot 74	1974	60.85		<b>Refuge's Addition</b>				
708	Lot 75	1974	60.85		768	SE 1/2 of Lot 9 and Lot 10	2	1974	456.78
709	Lot 76	1974	60.85		769	Comm at NW Cor of Section 17, T26N R3W, Th S 1 deg 53 min W 1182 ft, Th S 88 deg 05 min E 130 ft to POB, Th S 88 deg 05 min E 213 ft to POB, Th S 88 deg 05 min E 110 ft, Th N 88 deg 05 min W 173 ft, Th N 1 deg 53 min E 30 ft to POB	3	1974	811.83
710	Lot 77	1974	60.85		<b>Refuge's Addition</b>				
711	Lot 78	1974	60.85		770	SE 1/2 of Lot 9 and Lot 10	2	1974	456.78
712	Lot 79	1974	60.85		771	Comm at NW Cor of Section 17, T26N R3W, Th S 1 deg 53 min W 1182 ft, Th S 88 deg 05 min E 130 ft to POB, Th S 88 deg 05 min E 213 ft to POB, Th S 88 deg 05 min E 110 ft, Th N 88 deg 05 min W 173 ft, Th N 1 deg 53 min E 30 ft to POB	3	1974	811.83
713	Lot 80	1974	60.85		<b>Refuge's Addition</b>				
714	Lot 81	1974	60.85		772	SE 1/2 of Lot 9 and Lot 10	2	1974	456.78
715	Lot 82	1974	60.85		773	Comm at NW Cor of Section 17, T26N R3W, Th S 1 deg 53 min W 1182 ft, Th S 88 deg 05 min E 130 ft to POB, Th S 88 deg 05 min E 213 ft to POB,			



## Frederic News

by Arlein Keesby

Mrs. Dorothy Remick of Frederic spent 3 weeks in Mishawaka, Indiana, visiting Mrs. Gladys Flowers. Mr. Robert Remick went down last week and brought them back to Frederic. They returned home on March 6 and Mrs. Flowers returned home with them for a visit.

Mr. Earl Westhrooke spent Sunday with the Senior Citizens at Saginaw at the Ice Capades.

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## Bits O' Talk

by Fay Bovee

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Robinson of Garden City are the proud parents of a daughter, Sherrie Jean, who was born March 2. She weighed 9 lbs. 1 oz. at birth. Mrs. Shirley Robinson of Wayne, formerly of Grayling, is the paternal grandmother. Mr. Robinson is a nephew of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hooper of Grayling.

Kevin Sloan, son of Mr. and Mrs. Duane Sloan, and Dick Joseph, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Joseph, are spending their break from U of M at their homes here.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Gornro spent a month with her brother and family, the Everett Fergusons in Carpinteria, California.

Nita Galloway has moved from Grayling to Inkster. She had resigned her position with the Central Office of the Crawford AuSable Schools and is now employed as a secretary to the Michigan Board of Assembly of God Churches in Dearborn.

## Legion

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founded March 15-17, 1919, during a caucus in Paris, France, attended by representatives of the various outfits of the American Expeditionary Force of World War I. The organization has since opened its ranks to veterans of World War II, the Korean War, and the Vietnam War. Commander Baker explained.

As part of its preparation for the 58th Birthday, Post #106 is winding up its 1977 membership drive, he reported. Nationally, the American Legion recorded another year of significant membership gain during the year 1976 with 2,713,000 members, the 2nd highest national total it has posted in the last 19 years.

Commander Baker extended an invitation to all eligible war veterans of Crawford County to become Legionnaires and be a part of the complete program which confirms to each and every member that "It's Great To Belong."

## BOWLING LEAGUE

National League, 1st Division

1. B&S Sales	28
2. Wonder Muller	24
3. Bultweiser	23
4. Carlisle's	18
5. Monday	16
6. Gambles	15
7. Larry & Joan's	11
8. Moose	9

High Series: K. Carlisle, 569; H. King, 554; B. Reichelderfer, 545.

High Game: B. Reichelderfer, 247; K. Carlisle, 213; R. Hettner, 203.

National League, 2nd Division

1. General Telephone	28
2. Weaver's Shell	23
3. Legion Lanes	21
4. Grayling VW	21
5. Timber Room	18
6. R&H Sports	18
7. Carl's Grocery	16
8. Cornell Insurance	15

High Series: D. Gorman, 569; F. Schabily, 551; D. Rasmussen, 519.

High Game: F. Schabily, 212; D. Gorman, 202; K. Young, 193.

American League, 1st Division

1. Savoy's	21 1/2
2. Ruchette's Party Store	20
3. Ray's Canteen Livery	17 1/2
4. Moose Lodge	17
5. Sawyer's Tree Service	16
6. Uncle Alf's	12
7. Clair's Standard	11
8. Millikin Construction	10

High Series: R. Mudge, 551; B. Case, 551; E. Balch, 543.

High Game: R. Case, 214; S. Houlton, 214; J. Kalka, 212.

American League, 2nd Division

1. L. J. McCosco #2	25
2. Parker Surveying	25
3. Moose Lodge	24
4. L.P. Plastics #1	22
5. Hospital	21
6. Wiltsie Carpet	18
7. Union 76	15
8. McDonald's	10

High Game: J. Ely, 222; R. Eberts, 213.

D. Lecon, 211; High Series: R. Eberts, 593; J. Ely, 529; A. Stephenson, 526.

Recreation League

1. Olson's	27
2. R&H Sports	25
3. Lone Pine Inn	25
4. Harrison's	21 1/2
5. Murrell's Beauty Salon	21
6. Bay City Times	21
7. Grayling Bank	21
8. Arrowhead Inn	20
9. Pine Aire Motel	19
10. Union 76	16
11. Colonial Motel	14
12. Glen's Market	14
13. Coe's Market	12
14. Legion Lanes	11
15. Marilyn's Hair Boutique	11
16. Kozzy Korners	9 1/2

High Series: G. Sampsel, 523; G. Kinsman, 518; M. Reed, 515.

High Game: G. Sampsel, 198; M. Reed, 196; B. Kinsman, 194.

Pioneer League

1. Dawson's	29
2. Cornett Agency	24
3. Vaughn's Sunoco	22
4. J. S. Gals	18
5. Millikin Construction	16 1/2
6. Avalanche	14 1/2
7. McLean's ProMart	13 1/2
8. Sorenson Agency	11

High Series: N. Millikin, 693; J. Ingalls, 579; B. Wells, 484.

High Game: N. Millikin, 256 &amp; 245; J. Ingalls, 211 &amp; 204; B. Wells, 186.

Northwood League

1. Eagle Point Sports	19
2. AuSable Motel	18
3. Cover Up Shop	16
4. Grayling Insurance	14
5. Matt's Foster Home	13
6. Laurine's	12
7. Russ's Dry Wall	12
8. B&J Sales	10

High Game: E. Heisel, 202; C. Steeley, 197; J. Rasmussen, 190.

High Series: C. Berg, 494; E. Heisel, 490; N. Steffles, 487.

Triangle League

1. Russ Dry Wall	97
2. Moose Lodge	92
3. T. B. M.	86 1/2
4. Arrowhead Inn	79 1/2
5. Plaza Bar	79 1/2
6. Glen's Market	77 1/2
7. Tim Francis Real Estate	76 1/2
8. Wee Three	61 1/2

High Game: H. King, 211 &amp; 200; R. Mudge, 201; F. Schans, 200.

High Series: H. King, 510; R. Mudge, 564; D. Gorman, 545.

Coffee League

1. McDonald's	23 1/2
2. Clay & Play	20
3. Jake's Refuse	18
4. H&R Tree Service	16
5. Yarn & Craft Shop	16
6. Callahan's Sunoco	14
7. Red's Party Store	12 1/2
8. Women of the Moose	8

High Game: R. Zuchike, 194; M. Canfield, 181; G. Reichelderfer, 176.

High Series: R. Zuchike, 539; E. Heisel, 480; V. Lamotte &amp; G. Reichelderfer, 488.

Nitrow Mixed Doubles

1. White Carpet Service	25
2. Legion Lanes	24
3. P. Plastics	23 1/2
4. AuSable Motel	19
5. Credit Union	18
6. Larry & Joan's Place	13
7. Van's Lumber	11 1/2
8. Legion Lanes	10

High Game: Men: F. Arwood, 210; P. Faustman, 204; D. Witke, 196.

High Series: Men: D. Witke, 520; F. Arwood, 515; P. Perez, 500.

High Game: Women: J. Arwood, 194; V. Henning, 170; J. Houlton, 167.

High Series: Women: J. Arwood, 500; V. Henning, 466; J. Houlton, 441.

Senior Citizens Bowling League

1. Spike's	65 1/2
2. 1st Savings	63
3. Mac's Drugs	58
4. ProMart	57
5. Larry & Joan's	49
6. Glen's Market	46
7. Vaughn's	41
8. R&H Sports	34 1/2

High Series: Men: T. Tosto, 545; B. Bellanger, 509; L. Stafford, 508.

High Game: Men: B. Bellanger, 195; P. Robine, 194; T. Tosto, 192.

High Series: Women: T. DeRousha, 431; M. Foltz, 422; D. Robine, 411.

High Game: Women: D. Robine, 169; M. Frankfield, 165; J. Day, 161.

Sunday Early Bird Mixed Doubles

1. Fred's Auto Body Repair	29
2. Club Thunderbird	23
3. Mill Town Realty	21
4. AuSable Construction	20 1/2
5. Team 88	20
6. Law's Advertising Spec	19
7. Tim & Tom	19
8. Post Oil	7 1/2

High Series: Women: J. Heisel, 441; G. McClain, 407; A. Moss, 382.

High Game: Women: J. Heisel, 178; D. Papendick, 142; G. McClain, 141.

High Series: Men: T. Grant, 516; T. Neale, 475; D. McCosco, 455.

High Game: Men: T. Grant &amp; T. Neale, 178; T. Grant, 174; B. Hatfield, 168.

Sunday Afternoon Fun League

1. Colonial Motel	23
2. Quince's	22 1/2
3. True Value Hdw	17
4. Carl's Sport Shop	15 1/2
5. Carol's Mobil	15
6. Red Barn	15
7. Grayling Enterprises	11
8. Colleen Fravalling	9

High Game: Women: L. Conrad, 181; C. Sutfield, 179; J. Fye, 178.

High Series: Women: V. Henning, 459; J. Fye, 447; L. Conrad, 446.

High Game: Men: D. Henning, 190; C. Fye, 186; J. Colleen, 184.

High Series: Men: C. Fye, 541; D. Henning, 525; J. Colleen, 485.

## Frederic Township Association to Meet

The Frederic Township

Community Association will meet on Thursday, March 17th, 8:00 p.m. at the Town Hall. This will be a special meeting with reports being turned in on tax information from Lansing. Also, reports on the AuSable and Manistee scenic rivers. Everyone is welcome.

## Derails

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hours," he said. After leaving Bay City, the weary crew was still working 12 hours later in Grayling trying to get their engine on the tracks.

Van Meter said the train-truck crash had occurred at the railway crossing at Four Mile Road. His train was delayed there while the accident was investigated and the wreck pulled clear.

A police spokesman said the truck was a vehicle belonging to the Crawford County Road Commission being driven by Tom Small. The spokesman said that the report we got was that the truck was ploughing the shoulder of the road, when the driver got to the crossing and saw the train, his brakes were not working properly. The driver jumped and the truck went out in front of the train.

Damage to the truck was extensive but there were no injuries. Officials from the commission were not available for comment Tuesday.

Following that accident the train crew proceeded on up the line to Grayling and within a few miles was derailed. The train hit a large area of ice packed onto the track by snowmobilers and slid off the rails.

As he watched the crew jacking the 245 monster back onto the track, he said, "The snowmobilers give no consideration to the fact that this is private property and they are not supposed to be on the track. They think it is a joke, but it's nothing to giggle about for the crew of this train. It would be no laughing matter if that train had tipped over and we were trying to get some men out that could have been pinned beneath the wreck."

He was unable to estimate what the derail and accident has cost the railway in lost time and extra expenses. He said portions of the ill-fated engine had been bent and crumpled in the crash. He said the engine would be returned to Bay City and another crew on Wednesday would continue the journey northward.

## Veterans

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his wife Claudia and two children, Michael 6, and Sandra 2. They formerly resided in Graylake, Illinois and enjoy Grayling very much.

"I wanted to get back to Michigan," says the husband of the clan. "I lived in Wyoming, near Grand Rapids, but I also love to hunt and fish which is the other reason we wanted to come up here."

"We are from a small town like this and I like it. It's a very close knit community. Moving into this position was a logical step for this navy veteran."

"I was on active duty from 1971-73 in the Navy as a corpsman. Following that, I spent three years as a paramedic with the Graylake Fire Department. I have always enjoyed working with people and this job gave me an opportunity to do that, and come to Michigan as well."

Anyone wishing assistance can get in touch with his department simply by calling the office of the County Clerk which has his traveling schedule and timetable of office hours.

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**IN BANKING SCHOOL** Richard J. Trudeau, credit manager of the Grayling State Bank meets with Dr. Jack R. Rombouts, vice-president for Continuing Education at Northern Michigan University, during a session of the Northern Michigan School of Banking. Trudeau is among 22 persons attending the first year of a two-year school which is sponsored by NMU and banks from Groups I and II of the Michigan Bankers Association to provide in-service training for bank employees in the Great Lakes area.

## YOUR WEEK AHEAD By DAMIS

Forecast Period:  
March 13 to March 19

**ARIES**  
Mar. 21-Apr. 19

You are called on to give more of your time to the job, and there is compensating financial rewards and pride in accomplishment.

**TAURUS**  
Apr. 20-May 20

Opportunity appears for pursuing that study course you've been thinking about. It will enhance your career standing.

**GEMINI**  
May 21-June 20

Involvement with other people's finances could lead you down the garden path. Stay alert.

**MOONCHILD**  
June 21-July 22

There may be unexpected developments where joint monies are concerned. Calm discussion accomplishes more than heated arguments.

**LEO**  
July 23-Aug. 22

Personal relationships with your mate and others too, are a warm and companionable feeling. Cooperation brings worthwhile results.

**VIRGO**  
Aug. 23-Sept. 22

There's a lot of hard work for you these next few days. Pace yourself and guard against digestive upsets.

**LIBRA**  
Sept. 23-Oct. 22

Creative talents are brought into play. It's a period for fun and entertainment. Children are part of the picture.

**SCORPIO**  
Oct. 23-Nov. 21

Home interests are prominent now. Housework has its hazards so be watchful. Invite friends over.

**SAGITTARIUS**  
Nov. 22-Dec. 21

You'll probably be doing a lot of short-term travelling this week. Lots of coming and going with family and neighbors.

**CAPRICORN**  
Dec. 22-Jan. 19

Pay close attention to business. Aggressive tactics may be necessary. Study investment possibilities. Start a savings account.

**AQUARIUS**  
Jan. 20-Feb. 18

This week finds you in a super-sensitive emotional quandry. It's not the time to push business or personal matters. Enjoy rest and quiet.

**PISCES**  
Feb. 19-Mar. 20

It's time to relax and gather your forces again. Mystical interests beckon. News and messages may prove to be unreliable.

## St. Francis Edges Bucks for District Crown

By Jeff Schrader  
CCA Sports Writer

The St. Francis Gladiators from Traverse City captured the District Class "C" Title here last Friday night by nipping the Roscommon Bucks, 43-41. They had earlier earned the opportunity to play the Bucks in the finals by trouncing Benzie Central 91-67 Wednesday night. That same night Roscommon triumphed over Alcona, 64-53 to claim its bid for the District championship.

By winning the local district title, Traverse advances to the Regionals, held this year in neighboring Roscommon. While the Bucks came close to participating in their own tourney, they fell short, despite a courageous effort, by 2 points, and will be watching regionals from the sidelines.

Roscommon jumped off to an early 10-8 first quarter lead, but St. Francis commandeered the lead in the 2nd stanza to take a 22-18 advantage at the intermission. The Gladiators maintained an 8-point margin during the 3rd quarter and led 37-29 going into the final stanza.

Roscommon made a bold bid for an upset, outscoring the Gladiators 12-6 in the 4th quarter and in fact, had a final, "last few seconds" opportunity which failed, however, and ended up on the short end of a 2-point deficit as the final buzzer sounded.

St. Francis faces Boyne City on Tuesday night at 7:30 in the first round of this year's Regional Tourney. Two other District winners, Reed City and Clare will meet on Wednesday night with winners meeting Friday for a quarterfinal birth at Cheboygan against the U.P. class representative, on Thursday, March 17th.

In the St. Francis victory over Roscommon, Dennis Fewins was top scorer for the Gladiators with 12 points. Three Swaney brothers combined for a total of 17 additional points. Greg with 9, Mike hitting for 7 and younger brother, John, a fresh-

man, contributing 1. The Bucks were led by center Scott Hess who hit for 14 points.

In their respective victories in the semi-finals Wednesday night, Greg Swaney led the St. Francis victory over Benzie Central with 23 points and Hess topped Roscommon, pouring in 26 points in Rosco's victory over Alcona.

Boyne City moves into regional play by virtue of a 66-58 win over their arch rival Charlevoix on their home court.

In the other bracket, two North Central Conference foes will lock horns when the Reed City Coyotes with a 20-2 season mark, and the league champs, take on the Clare Pioneers, now 15-8 on the season.

Reed City took a convincing 109-81 win over Farwell in the Harrison District, while Clare was taking the measure of host Sanford-Meridian in their district, 70-50.



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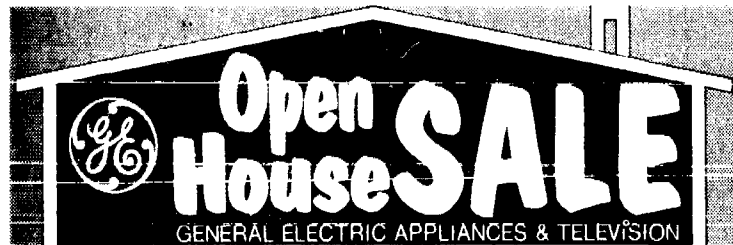
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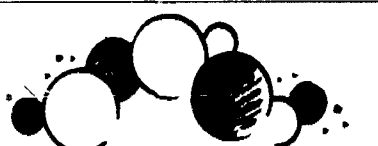
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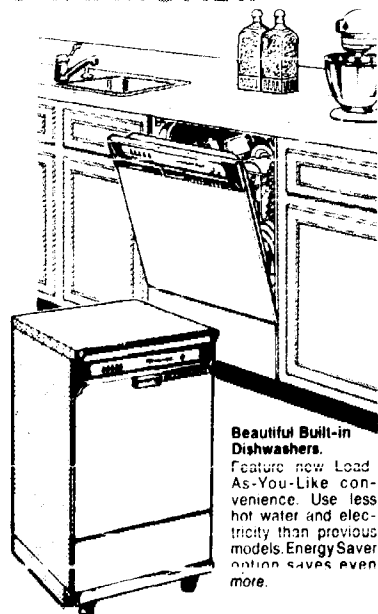
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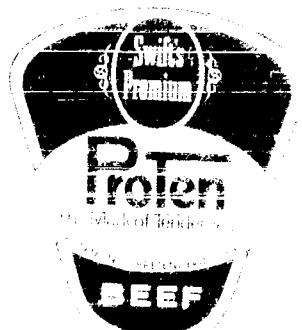
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